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STRIKERS SLOW TO RESPOND

NOT YET AT WORK
DESPITE ACCORD

MINE AND DOCK CREWS QUIT

Paris, June 8.
This gay capital still wears the habit of an English Sunday in certain quarters where the big departmental stores are still occupied by the strikers. But after a meeting this afternoon between the representatives of employers and workers, over which the Minister of the Interior, M. Salengro, presided, it was stated that there was hope of an agreement being reached and work starting again to-morrow.

The end of the strike of petrol suppliers to-day resulted in an increase in street traffic, but the taxi drivers may strike to-morrow.

It appears that some other such, are not included in the newly-signed Labour Charter, which only covers industries. It is therefore possible that such trades may strike in order to secure their inclusion in the Charter.

Over 100,000 of the strike in the provinces news of the strike settlement in Paris has travelled slowly, and it is impossible yet to state how many have returned to work. Generally speaking the situation is still unaltered.

Meanwhile, 1,500 Dunkirk dockers have struck and are threatening to disrupt the cross-Channel service, while miners of du Nord and Pas de Calais have struck, as they decided to do on Saturday.

The miners' delegates are meeting to-morrow at Douai when it is expected that a settlement will be reached. —*Reuter.*

LABOUR JOYFUL

Paris, June 8.
A million jubilant strikers awaited their leaders' orders to return to work to-day after their major victory. The Government hopes to end the northern strike quickly. They attribute it to the lack of provincial newspapers, which cannot publish owing to the strike. The miners are unaware of the agreement reached at Paris.

They do not know that employers have conceded the demands of Labour for paid vacations, a forty-hour week, collective labour contracts, and increases in wages ranging from seven to fifteen per cent.

The employers signed the agreement on the condition that the Government assured uniform application of the terms throughout France.

However, the strikes cannot be said to have ended, for there are still individual claims to be negotiated.

NEW DEAL PROGRAMME

Meanwhile, the Government is prepared to take the first great step in the New Deal programme—the nationalisation of war industries—over which leaders are most secretive.

It is learned, however, that three solutions offer: 1, direct expropriation by the state with a payment in cash or bonds; 2, placing government representatives on the boards of directors, thus giving direct control; 3, changing the munitions companies' common stocks, now bringing in unlimited dividends, to five or six per cent bonds, the remainder of the profits going to the Government. —*United Press.*

INSURANCE STRIKE

Seven insurance company premises are now occupied by stay-in strikers. —*Reuter.*

FRANC RECOVERS

Meets of the new French Premier, M. Leon Blum's declaration of policy were apparent on the foreign exchange market to-day, when there was a marked rally in the French franc, and other continental gold currencies strengthened in sympathy.

Closing three months' forward rate for the French franc at 6½ discount showed a small improvement.

The price of gold has recovered, a shilling and half since last Thursday. —*British Wireless.*

Suez Must Be Neutral

CLOSURE WOULD BE ACT OF WAR

Paris, June 8.
The permanent and absolute neutrality of the Suez Canal was emphasised by the Chairman of the Company, the Marquis de Vogüé, at the annual general meeting to-day. The Marquis said recent fantastic reports were answered by the International Convention providing that any Power forbidding entry of the Canal to another Power would be guilty of an act of war. —*Reuter.*

Chiang Kai-Shek's Stand Made Clear

WON'T TOLERATE USURPATION OF POWER BY SOUTH

BELIEVES CANTON WILL AVOID CIVIL WAR

Nanking, June 9.

The first official pronouncement upon the South-west situation was made by Marshal Chiang Kai-shek, the Central Government's actual leader, to-day.

He declared the Government would continue to adhere to its policy of safeguarding the nation's interests.

He admitted there had been differences between Nanking and Canton, but he believed the Kwangtung and Kwangsi leaders would not seize upon the Government's foreign policy as "an alibi in the starting of a civil war," nor proclaim their independence.

He emphasised that such questions as declaring war and negotiating peace rested with the Central authorities, not with a minority inspired with personal feelings.

Marshal Chiang announced that a plenary session of the Central Executive Committee would be held to discuss the situation, and he hoped Kwangsi and Kwangtung would attend in full force. —*Reuter.*

FREDDIE TO SUPPORT HIS FAMILY

MOTHER WINS PART OF HIS INCOME

PRODIGY STAYS WITH AUNT

Los Angeles, June 8.

The battle over the guardianship of Freddie Bartholomew and the money he earns as a child actor has ended in an agreement. It was signed in the chambers of Judge Harry Archibald.

His aunt, Miss Bartholomew, retains her guardianship and a portion of Freddie's income will maintain his parents, who are bringing his two sisters from England to make their home in Los Angeles. His grandparents have already arrived to join the household.

Freddie will not live with this branch of the family, however. He will remain with his aunt, who is his father's sister, and who has brought him up from babyhood.

It was Freddie's mother who brought action in the first place. She lost the first court test. —*United Press.*

KING TO HOLD LEVEE

ALSO TO VISIT PORTSMOUTH

London, June 8.

H.M. the King will drive in a State carriage, accompanied by a sovereign's escort of Household Cavalry, to-morrow morning from York House to Buckingham Palace where His Majesty is holding a levee.

It is announced to-day that the King is visiting Portsmouth on June 30 to inspect the establishments in the Portsmouth Naval Command. His Majesty will visit the naval barracks and afterwards the marines' barracks at Eastney, and will lunch with Admiral Sir John Kelly, Commander-in-Chief, at Admiralty House. The King may also visit the Royal yacht Victoria and Albert, which has recently undergone her annual overhaul. —*British Wireless.*

QUEEN MARY'S COMMANDER



Sir Edgar Britten, commander of the famous Queen Mary, signs on in London.

Fatal Mishap Aboard Liner

SEAMAN KILLED ON QUEEN MARY

NO HOPE OF RECORD

London, June 8.

A fatal accident was reported aboard the British luxury liner, Queen Mary, to-day.

Arthur Golding, a twenty-two-year-old lad, making his first trip as an able seaman, was found unconscious and bleeding profusely on the deck. Apparently he had slipped and struck his head heavily.

He died subsequently. Passengers were unaware of his death or of the brief burial service which was performed quietly.

A moderate swell to-day induced a slight roll, somewhat destroying the earlier illusions of a luxurious hotel ashore.

There is no hope of a record on the present trip as the ship has not reached the speed attained on her outward voyage or the average speed of the Normandie's homeward passage. The Queen Mary covered 670 miles during the past twenty-four hours. She has encountered fog frequently. —*Reuter Bulletin Service.*

ANGUISHED HUNT FOR INJURED

FOLLOWS COLLAPSE OF GRANDSTAND

DISASTER AT REVIEW

(Special To "Telegraph")

Ducharest, June 8.

Anguished crowds are still making the rounds of hospitals to discover relatives who have been missing since the collapse of a grandstand at the review of Boy Scouts by King Carol, held to commemorate the sixth anniversary of his accession to the throne.

The review had been arranged as a climax to the conference between Little Entente nations.

The stand, one of six, was a hundred yards long, seating nearly six thousand people. It collapsed in the middle, and the occupants were shot forward, a mass of struggling humanity.

It is believed that between twenty and thirty were killed and four hundred injured, many critically.

The stand was newly-constructed, the Mayor having refused the tender of a big contractor and allotted the work to small carpenters. Hence, the whole structure was badly co-ordinated. —*Reuter Special.*

No Payment On War Debt

WHITE PAPER GIVES EXPLANATION

London, June 8.

This evening gives the texts of correspondence between the United States Government and the British Embassy in Washington regarding the British War Debt.

The Department of State addressed a note on May 22 to the British Ambassador transmitting a statement of amounts due half yearly since June 15, 1933 and including agreement of 1923, and the moratorium agreement of 1932, and reiterating the willingness of the United States Government to discuss any proposals the British Government might desire to put forward as to payment.

The statement shows the total amount due on June 15 next to be \$85,070,765.

In acknowledging the note and accompanying statement on June 7, Sir Ronald Lindsay said:

"His Majesty's Government explained in their note of June 4, 1934, the reasons for which they were reluctantly forced to suspend payment. Those reasons are fortunately no less valid now than they were then."

"His Majesty's Government desire to express their appreciation of your assurance that the United States Government are ready to discuss any proposals in regard to the payment which may be put forward in return that His Majesty's Government will be glad to reopen negotiations whenever circumstances are such as to warrant hope that a satisfactory result might be reached." —*British Wireless.*

MODERNISED BATTLESHIP

REPULSE STEAMS TO MEDITERRANEAN

London, June 8.

H.M.S. Repulse, which has been in dockyard hands for three years for reconstruction and modernisation, left Portsmouth to-day for the Mediterranean.

Reconstruction cost \$1,400,000, and has greatly enhanced the efficiency of the battleship.

The Repulse will replace the Renown, which is about to undergo repairs estimated to cost \$720,000. —*Reuter Special.*

FIRST EDITION

FILIPINO FLIERS REACH HANOI



Arnaz and J. Calvo, flying from Manila to Madrid, are here seen about to take off from Kai Tak Aerodrome to-morrow, being handed mail by Mr. L. R. Idefonso. The fliers reached Hanoi last evening, after being delayed by bad weather, which necessitated their making a forced landing at Fort Bayard. —*Staff Photographer.*

GIANTS LOSING GROUND

CUBS AND PIRATES GAIN STEADILY

YANKEES KEEP WELL AHEAD

New York, June 8.

New York Giants still cling precariously to second berth in the National League to-day, but they cannot afford to lose another game if Chicago and Pittsburgh continue to win.

Chicago is within a few points of the Giants and Pittsburgh is only a step behind the Cubs.

New York lost again, against the Cincinnati Reds, seven to three. The Reds hit twelve times to the Giants ten. Each had an error.

Pittsburgh beat the Brooklyn Dodgers narrowly, two to one, winning on eight hits against seven.

They had two errors and Dodgers one. French pitched for Chicago, and shut out the Phillies. He gave them eight hits but did not allow a run.

Phillies had three errors. The Cubs turned seven hits into victory.

St. Louis, the league leaders, and Boston, did not play.

YANKEES GAIN

The New York Yankees gained another step in the American League and Boston, in second place to them, failed to improve its position, splitting a double-header with Detroit.

Yankees were not hard put to it to beat St. Louis.

They scored twelve runs on sixteen hits, two of them homers by Dimaggio and Gehrig. The Browns tallied three times as many hits. Yankees had two and Browns one error.

Philadelphia beat Chicago five to four in ten innings, noosing out the Sox by the odd hit. Each had two errors.

Boston might have come close to catching the Yankees by winning the double-header with Detroit. The Red Sox won the opener, six to three, when Cronin hit a homer. They had only nine hits against Detroit's eleven.

There were no errors. Detroit pulled ahead in the second contest, scoring twelve runs on as many hits. Detroit's fielding was weak, and there were five errors.

But even so, Boston could only manage seven runs on eight hits, and they, too, had two errors.

The Cleveland-Washington game was postponed on account of rain. —*Reuter.*

MOLLISONS PLANNING 27,000 MILE JAUNT

London, June 8.

While aeroplane firms are busy on the new Air Force expansion programme, Amy Mollison and her husband are contemplating a world flight in two separate planes.

The intention is that the planes should keep together during the flight. Mrs. Mollison told *Reuter* that she has not abandoned hope of securing a big plane, but it may be impossible to get one in time to leave England by the end of August.

The fliers plan to fly to Australia, Fiji, Honolulu, America and across the Atlantic, circling the globe by a route covering 27,000 miles. —*Reuter.*

VETOES AIR RESERVE

Washington, June 8.

President Roosevelt has vetoed the measure creating an Air Reserve Training Corps, enrolling youths between seventeen and twenty-four, on the grounds that it was not needed immediately and that the cost would be disproportionate to its benefits. —*United Press.*



Mr. and Mrs. Mollison

INSANE CRIMINALS AT LARGE

HUNTED THROUGH MINNESOTA WOODS

LONELY FARMS WARNED

St. Peter, June 8.

Fifty armed policemen to-day searched the wooded Minnesota river bottoms for fourteen criminally insane fugitives from the state asylum.

These men escaped at sunset Sunday after overpowering five guards.

They used the legs of dining-room tables to pry the iron bars from second-storey window and slid to the ground by fire-hose.

They climbed a sixteen foot wire fence and vanished.

The authorities have issued a statewide warning that the men are very desperate and patrol cars have carried the news to every farm house within miles, ordering farmers to lock the doors and windows and prepare for a possible attack.

Two of the fugitives, Tom Delap and David Rhoades were captured near St. James attempting to hit-hike. —*United Press.*

Severe Floods In Assam

FIFTY VILLAGES ARE INUNDATED

Shillong, Assam, June 8.

Exceptionally heavy rains have caused flooding in many parts of Upper Assam, where fifty villages have been inundated.

Crops have been destroyed and a large number of houses washed away. Casualties at present are thought to be small, but thousands are homeless. The Government is organising relief. —*Reuter Bulletin Service.*

UNEMPLOYED DECLINE

GERMAN AND BRITISH FIGURES

Berlin, June 8.

The unemployed in Germany on May 31 totalled 1,491,301, a reduction of 272,000 compared with April.

The figure is over 200,000 below the lowest figure in 1935. —*Reuter Special.*

BRITISH GAINS

London, June 8.

The number of unemployed in Britain on May 29 had declined by 125,188, compared with April 27, while insured unemployed numbered 10,831,000, an increase of 110,000. —*Reuter Special.*

MARKED DECREASE

London, June 8.

A further marked decrease in the numbers of unemployed is shown in the return for May issued by the Labour Ministry to-night.

The Ministry estimates that on May 25 the number of insured persons aged 16 to 64 in employment in Great Britain, exclusive of agricultural workers, was approximately 10,831,000.

This was 119,000 more than on April 27 and 472,000 more than on May 20, 1935.

Agricultural workers became insured at the beginning of May, but statistics of the numbers of such workers in employment are not yet available.

Of May 25 the numbers of registered unemployed were 1,705,042, comprising 1,307,755 wholly unemployed, 225,285 temporarily laid off, and 82,002 normally in casual employment. The total was 125,188 less than the month before and 339,710 less than a year ago. —*British Wireless.*

VAN ZEELAND TO FORM CABINET?

VANDERVELDE UNABLE TO WIN CATHOLICS

Brussels, June 8.

M. Emile Vandervelde has informed the King that he is unable to form a Cabinet, owing to the fact that the Catholic Party is unwilling to co-operate with the Socialist Party.

It is believed that M. Paul Van Zeeland, the Prime Minister who resigned only last week, will be recalled to form a Government. —*Reuter Bulletin Service.*

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(We Saw the Sea. One Step. ("Follow the Fleet")
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F 441 (Man From Harlem. Q.S.
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F 435 (Indian Love Call. F.T.
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F 442 (O! Man Mo. F.T.
(I'm Gonna Clap My Hands. F.T.
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(Swing Mister Charlie. F.T.
F 446 (Everybody Kiss Your Partner. F.T.
(I'm Nuts about Screw Music. F.T.
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(And So To Bed.
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F 458 (Jazz Mo Blues. Q.S.
(Cheerful Blues. Slow F.T.
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F 436 (But Where Are You ("Follow the Fleet")
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THE DUKE MAY GO ABROAD NEXT YEAR

ANNOUNCING THE KING'S ACCESSION TO FOREIGN COURTS

THERE is likely to be a busy time ahead for the Duke of York, for it is said that the King intends to commission him with the discharge of many of the duties which were normally the task of His Majesty when he was Prince of Wales.

In fact, the Duke, as Heir Presumptive, will be "Prince of Wales" in all but name.

It is probable, too, that the Duke will next year receive the King's command to pay a series of visits to foreign monarchs to announce to them his brother's accession to the Throne.

This is a formality still followed by the countries which adhere to a monarchical regime.

With this project in view there are likely to be several additional appointments to the Duke's staff.

Another Equerry

These may include an additional equerry, a Naval, Military, and Air Force A.D.C., as well as a secretary to assist Commander Harold Campbell, who is now the Duke's only private secretary.

There will be increasing demands on the King's time as the Coronation approaches, and it is inevitable that he will frequently have to delegate his duties to one of his brothers.

BUTTER FROM JAPAN

20 COUNTRIES SHIP TO BRITAIN

ONE WAY TO KEEP HAIR SHORT

A novel method of keeping the hair short was suggested at the International Congress of Physical Medicine in London by Professor W. T. Ashbury, of Leeds University.

"Just as human hair will stretch to twice its original length, so will it contract," he said. "If you want to avoid the barber expense you can then for two hours to steam. The hair will contract to two-thirds its original length."

Lord Dawson of Penn, speaking on "Physical Education," said physical education and games should be regarded as complementary.

"To-day the unit is preserved. The public conscience demands it," he added. "There is a strong effort to save men from the weakening of physique apt to result from unemployment. Recreative physical training makes that effort."

The National Farmers' Union states that the recent arrival of a shipment of 50 tons of Japanese butter, following sample consignments during the past year, indicates that when her dairy herds have been sufficiently increased Japan may become a serious competitor in the British butter market.

The Union points out that in the past few years the United Kingdom has become the "dumping ground" of the world's surplus butter, more than 20 countries regularly sending supplies.

The Japanese dairy industry receives Government assistance in several ways. Part of the expenses of importing foreign-bred cattle is paid by the Government, and producers are able to use, free of charge, the animals kept at a Government livestock experimental station for breeding purposes.



H.R.H. the Duke of York, the Heir Presumptive

MAN AND WIFE SWALLOWED UP IN 80-FT. HOLE

REAR OF HOUSE FALLS INTO ABYSS

NO TRACE OF BODIES

The rear portion of two houses in Merton-road, Norwich, a district notorious for subsidence owing to subterranean workings of an old chalk pit, collapsed recently and disappeared in a hole estimated to be 80ft. deep.

An elderly man and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Hall, aged 74 and 71 respectively, were sleeping in the rear portion of one of the houses, and were swallowed up with their bed in the abyss. They were not found.

The subsidence occurred an hour after midnight. A rumble and then a crash caused Mr. Ben Bainham, of Merton-road, to rush from his front bedroom to pitch headlong into space. As he fell into the hole he shouted a warning to his wife and daughter, and saved them from a similar experience.

Later, when rescuers arrived, Mr. Bainham was found to have had a remarkable escape, for after falling 20 feet his further descent was checked by a ledge at the cost of a fractured ankle.

Mr. and Mrs. Hall were the father and mother of Mrs. Bainham. Desperate efforts were made to find them, and tunnels were dug at different angles in the debris.

OTHER HOUSES EVACUATED
Though the whole of the rear of the Bainham's house has disappeared, the front is standing as though nothing happened.

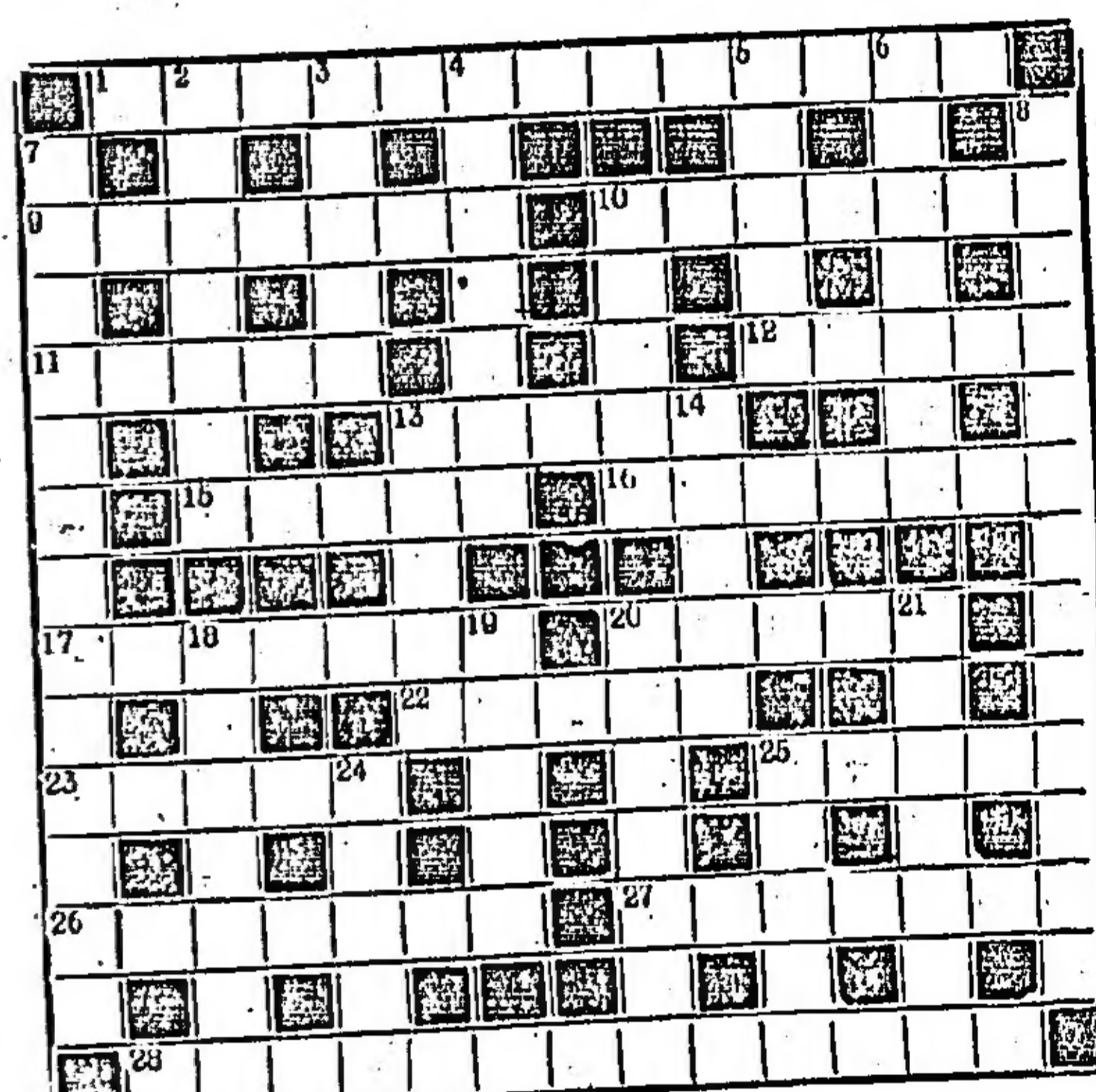
In the case of the second house, Mr. Thomas Humphrey and his wife had remarkable escapes. Their bedroom was affected by the subsidence, and their bed was found to be standing within 3 feet of the edge of the cavity.

Robbed As He Lay Injured

WHILE lying semi-conscious in the roadway, after being knocked down by a motor-car, Councillor S. Harpington, a former mayor of a gold and diamond tie-pin, worth £35.

"Mean and ghastly," was how Councillor Harpington described the theft. He has recovered from his injuries.

OUR BRITISH CROSSWORDS



ACROSS

- No, you must not think him as a mere roundsman: he makes a turnover oily.
- Stretches in spite of holding her case.
- He's very closely related to one spouse.
- Comparative shade of colour for a spendthrift.
- And this Beth, was a great monarch.
- You must squeeze in the instrument somehow, though there's no more than room.
- You get this joint from below.
- Hopping for a movement?
- Rather: you can hear a fellow sing.
- Cut this out of act nine, please, it's so very old.
- How the fleet face the field to get instruction.
- A big 'un among the U.S.
- The cross-word urge—have you got it?
- This is the deep place where George lost the letter.
- The very thing for a free lance, and, of course, this will be second.
- A cheering soul emerges from an edifice used by bankers (hyphen, 8, 5).

DOWN

- Obiteration by time is certain.
- Not this with the inside—or outside.
- Turn backwards with the seamen below.
- If hard up she sometimes goes to uncle.

- He wrote "William Tell."
- Suitable if rather doubtful material for a marble capital.
- In these one gets all tied up.
- One might well imagine this old Scandinavian poet writing burning verse.
- Nobleman often called for in the House of Commons.
- Drugging us to Paris is less trouble than to go as escort alone (hidden).
- Coal pit (anag.).
- Showing the correct time to be tight.
- School best left to the doctor.
- Many people are proud to have come over with them.
- Tuscan town.
- Hidden in Clue 14.

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Stork to Visit Quins' Mother?

"No, No!" Protests Doctor Dafoe

THE telephone rang one night in the home of Dr. Allan Roy Dafoe, of Callander, Ontario, the man who brought the Dionne quintuplets into the world and kept them there.

"London, calling Dr. Dafoe," said the operator.

A press representative said: "Dr. Dafoe, we have just received a cable saying Mrs. Elzire Dionne is expecting another baby on June 15—a successor to the quins."

Dr. Dafoe spluttered. Splutter heard in London.

"Mrs. Dionne, another baby? Sir, you are mistaken. It's ridiculous, not true, it is... Who says she's having another baby?"

"The cable is from New York," he said. "It states that Mrs. Dionne has had to turn down a Hollywood offer because she expects the baby on June 15."

"Hollywood? Ah, that place! Do not believe it. I WOULD KNOW, wouldn't I, if Mrs. Dionne were having a baby?"

"SMILING AND HAPPY" "I brought those five all right, didn't I? Mrs. Dionne would have told me the very first thing. Why, I saw her only last week walking in our village here."

"She was not expecting a baby or babies—that I can tell you. I am a doctor—I should know. She was smiling and happy. We talked about the five. What's that you say? How are they?"

"Oh, fine. Having special pre-school training, and liking it. Those babies, they will be lovely girls, I can tell you. Yes, there'll be a lot of young men hanging around here in a year or so."

"But as for another, no, it's not so."

"You must not believe Hollywood—that place! You know my views."

[Dr. Dafoe was disappointed that film actor Jean Hersholt played doctor part in quintuplet film.]

"Once before," he went on, "they said Mrs. Dionne was having another baby or, maybe, twins or something. I don't know. All wrong."

"Mrs. Dionne is wonderful, we all know it—but another baby, NO!"

"Could I speak to Mrs. Dionne?"

"Sir," replied Dr. Dafoe, "Mrs. Dionne lives along the lane. If she were here she wouldn't come to the telephone. Why, I think she'd sooner have this other baby you talk about than this other baby."

Sanctions Losses

NO COMPENSATION TO BE GRANTED

Mr. Runciman, President of the Board of Trade, announced in the House of Commons recently that the Government had decided that compensation could not be granted for losses attributable to the sanctions imposed against Italy.

"I am ready," he added, "to consider any information or proposals which the Association of British Importers from Italy may care to put forward in writing, but, as at present advised, I do not think that a deputation would serve any useful purpose."

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RESEARCH RESULTS

It has been constantly maintained in the London Morning Post, despite serious criticism from certain quarters, that the method of testing the blood to make a diagnosis of cancer, devised by Dr. S. G. T. Bendien, was of considerable value.

In the modified form suggested by Dr. Cronin Love in this country about three years ago, the Bendien test is apparently capable of yielding valuable information, and a recent report from workers in Birmingham, published in the "Quarterly Journal of Medicine," shows that 76 per cent. of correct diagnoses can be obtained for patients with cancer, and for patients without cancer, but suffering from some other disorder which has given rise to the suspicion of the disease.

Indeed, for this latter type of patient the test was especially useful, for it proved to be right when all the other evidence was pointing strongly to cancer, and yet detailed examination of tumour and other material obtained at operation or after death showed no trace of cancerous changes.

In all 470 specimens of blood serum have been examined, but only 296 of the results are used for the purpose of the final statistical analysis, since the research workers concerned set very high standards of proof of the presence or absence of cancer, and thus the results as regards the value of the Bendien test as performed on the blood specimens are of great importance.

Of 175 patients definitely suffering from cancer the test was correct in 131 cases and incorrect in 44. In the remaining 121 cases of patients not suffering from cancer, the test gave the right diagnosis in 90 and was wrong in 31.

POINTS OF INTEREST

A more detailed analysis of the results obtained brings out several points of interest. It is known that in tuberculosis certain changes occur in the blood which may interfere with the Bendien test, but in no instance in the Birmingham series was a misleading diagnosis made in a patient known to have tuberculosis.

Another point made is that 16 patients suffering from what was finally accepted as a non-cancerous condition, yet giving a positive Bendien test, had in fact such disorders as ulcers in the stomach, where the possibility of very early cancerous change cannot be altogether excluded.

Age was also a point which had some influence on the results, for in the younger patients the Bendien test gave much more accurate answers both for cancer and non-cancer cases. In other words, the test began to show more errors for non-cancer

70-YEAR-OLD KILLER ATTACKS CAMERAMAN



When Dr. Jaspur Gattacio, a San Jose, Cal., dentist took this picture he did not know it would cost him his life. And when Peter Voss, the 70-year-old prospector, attacked Dr. Gattacio he did not know that the doctor's photograph would provide the State authorities with the evidence necessary to a conviction for murder. Confronted with the above photograph, Voss confessed he slew Dr. Gattacio because he would not pay for a snapshot of the picturesque old gold hunter.

NATIONAL AIR "POOL" FORMING RESERVE OF PILOTS

Staffs of business houses are invited to form a "pool" of trained air pilots, who would be available in emergency as a second reserve to the Royal Air Force. The National League of Airmen, who have drawn up a scheme for this object, has already received so hearty a response that success appears to be assured. The Air Ministry has expressed approval.

The scheme depends upon the willingness of business houses to subsidise their flying members at the rate of £10 each for the first year, and upon the success of the members in obtaining and renewing their "A" licences. In respect of these the Air Ministry pays a subsidy of £25 each in the first place and £10 for annual renewals.

The members will have to pay for training 6s. a week for the first year, and thereafter 3s. a week. Each club will be limited to fifty members in the first year, and the members must be willing to keep in training for four years. They must be between 17 and 30 years of age.

The scheme will be put into effect simultaneously in London, Birmingham, Manchester, Edinburgh, and other big towns. Immediate response came from the Midland Bank with 300 candidates, and in this case training will begin in the next few days. A difficulty in such cases is that of selecting fifty first year members out of so large a number, but more than one club could be formed.

The proposals are contained in detail in a booklet obtainable from the National League of Airmen, 39, Grosvenor-square, S.W.1. Briefly, this shows that each club shall acquire two aeroplanes in the first year, and one in each succeeding year, and that ten such clubs shall form a group with an aerodrome of its own.

patients after middle-age when the tendency to cancer is greater and very early cancer might be present unnoticed apart from the non-cancerous condition for which the test was undertaken.

The tests made in Birmingham had to be carried out without the complicated apparatus which has been used by other workers and this again makes the results obtained of even greater value.

In view of the apparent hostility to the Bendien test which has been displayed by certain authorities, it is of interest that the research work here described has been carried out under the auspices of the Birmingham branch of the British Empire Cancer Campaign.

HUGE ROMAN HOARD UNEARTHED

THOUSANDS OF COINS IN IRON-BOUND BOX

CENTURIES ago, in some time of trouble, a dweller in Durnovaria—the Roman Dorchester—buried his treasure in his garden and fled.

There it remained untouched for 1,700 years, until last month, when a workman engaged in clearing a site for building in South Street, drove his pick into an iron-bound box.

He was amazed to see hundreds of bronze coins come flowing out. Colonel C. D. Drew took charge of the excavation work.

Bronze Bowl and Urn

In addition to the box, which was tightly packed with thousands of coins, he found a bronze bowl filled with coins and a beautiful bronze urn.

The coins are of the Third Century A.D. They were known as Antoniniani and for the most part are two-denarii pieces. Heads of several different rulers appear on the coins, the majority of which are bronze with a surface wash of silver.

This type of coinage was demoted by the Emperor Diocletian at the end of the third century and became valueless. Colonel Drew believes that they were buried after their devaluation by the owner, who intended to retrieve them should they recover their value.

The discovery is one of the largest ever made in England. Dorset is a prolific source of treasure trove. At a farm just outside Dorchester a year ago grazing cattle unearthed a hoard of 100 gold coins.

Portuguese Find

More than 15,000 coins comprised the greatest Roman hoard found in modern times. Two years ago workmen near Vinhais, Portugal, unearthed an urn full of silver and copper, minted in the reign of Constantine the Great.

Major G. H. Symes, coroner for South Dorset, is to decide whether an inquest on the South Street finds is necessary.

English Family In Stranded Yacht

TAKEN INTO GERMAN PORT

The British yacht Hepatica, owned by Dr. C. G. Jobbins, of Norwich, was recently taken into Norddeyner Harbour, of the coast of Prussia, after being stranded for several hours on a sandbank.

Dr. Jobbins was on board with his wife and two small children, aged five and three, accompanied by a nursemaid.

The Hepatica is a 92-ton converted fishing smack, and carries a crew of four. Reuter states that her signals were seen and a salvage vessel put out from Bremen and refloated her after two hours' hard work.

Dr. Jobbins, resident assistant medical officer at St. Luke's Hospital, Chelsea. He and his family sailed from Lowestoft and were going to Copenhagen first. They then intended to sail up the Swedish coast.

BISHOPS DENOUNCE ITALIAN WARFARE

WHITE RACE IS SHAMED

ETHIOPIAN'S WARNING

Four bitter attacks on Italy and Mussolini were made in England recently, three of them by bishops.

Dr. Furse, Bishop of St. Albans, speaking at a diocesan conference at Hitchin, referred to "an original member of the League of Nations, waging war on a fellow State member with all the callous ruthlessness which modern science had placed at its disposal in direct violation of the sanctity of its word and of its own definite and solemn repudiation of such barbarous methods of warfare as poison gas."

"I dare to say that Mussolini and those associated with him in the Government of Italy," he declared, "have made the name of the so-called civilised world stink in the nostrils of the native peoples not only in Abyssinia but in every part of Africa."

"In vain," he added, "have we looked for any outspoken denunciation of such criminal conduct from the head of the largest Christian Community in the world whose seal of Government is at Rome."

Dr. Darnes, Bishop of Birmingham, addressing a Diocesan Conference at Birmingham, said: "I read yesterday that 'Te Deums' were sung in nearly all the principal churches in Italy in thanks for the triumphs of Italian arms. 'We praise Thee O God—for incendiary bombs and poison gas which have overwhelmed a wretchedly armed but nominally Christian people fighting for its freedom.'"

"Were I an Italian ecclesiastic," he said, "I should have cause for fear. As George Herbert wrote: 'God's mill grinds slow but sure.'"

White Man Ashamed

Dr. David, Bishop of Liverpool, at the annual meeting of the Church Missionary Society at Liverpool, said a letter came the other day from a chaplain in Addis Ababa. In it he wrote in the bitterness of his heart, "More and more every day I become ashamed that I am a white man."

"If ever there was cause for righteous indignation you have it now," continued the Bishop. "God will judge Italy, but we need not stand idle and passive. We have also our part to play in recording for all time what we think of this monstrous outrage."

"Raving Tiger"

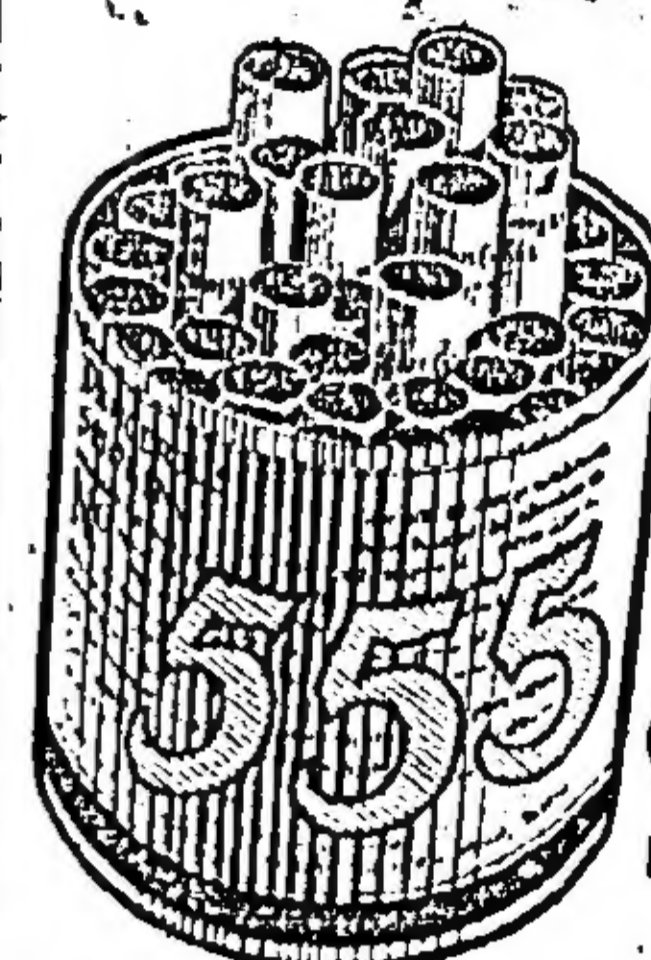
Dr. Martin, the Ethiopian Minister, speaking at a meeting of the Nile Society in London, said, "If you are not brave and sensible enough to get rid of the raving tiger among you, you will surely find your friends and children torn to pieces by the same raving tiger one day."

"I think I can assure you that a crime once condoned would certainly lead to another," he said. "Cowards and selfish people are very fond of putting forward the axiom 'mind your own business' as a convenient way of explaining their failure to do their duty as loyal and helpful members of a family, society, or nation."

"Selfishness and aloofness may be convenient for a period," he added, "but there is no doubt that in course of time there is a sad and certain retribution on account of it."



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NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE MARKET UPWARD YESTERDAY

New York, June 8. —Swan, Culbertson & Fritz Dow Jones summary of yesterday's market:—The market to-day advanced as much as two points due to the easier French financial situation which resulted in the franc staging a smart recovery to above the gold point. Steel issues led the advance and other major groups followed. Utility securities were strong and were relatively improved, led by New York Central. Mercantiles rose on prospects of heavy Soldier Bonney buying. Electrical equipment and copper shares advanced on the outlook of increased utility company orders. Building issues gained on New York City reports that construction during May was 35 1/2 per cent. above that of May last year. In the bond market, domestic corporations were higher, but trading was on the light side. Stocks on the Curb Exchange were upward, led by utility issues.

Swan, Culbertson & Fritz Wall Street Journal comment on 6/6 market:—A survey shows that the used car situation throughout the United States is no worse than usual. The French situation is losing its effectiveness as a threat to the market. Financial circles would welcome the long-delayed French devaluation. Reports indicate a steady sustained activity this Summer. Wall Street expects that Governor Landon will be nominated as the Presidential candidate for the Presidency. Brokers say that there is no large volume of selling orders at above the market. Odds of 3 to 5 are offered on the re-election of President Roosevelt.

S. C. & F. New York office cables: Stocks: Securities in better demand on improved news and prices look likely to move higher. General Motor Company's sales to consumers during May totaled 104,029 units, against 100,051 units in May last year. Montgomery Ward sales in May were 32 per cent. above those of last year. The Times Business Index for the past week is 101.2, against 99.4 the previous week.

Cotton: Improving statistical position and trade reports outweigh the Eastern drought relief and forecast of more rain. It is reported that over 1,000,000 bales of Government cotton have been sold without disturbing the market. Sales of print-cloth during the week are reported to have totaled 125 per cent. of production.

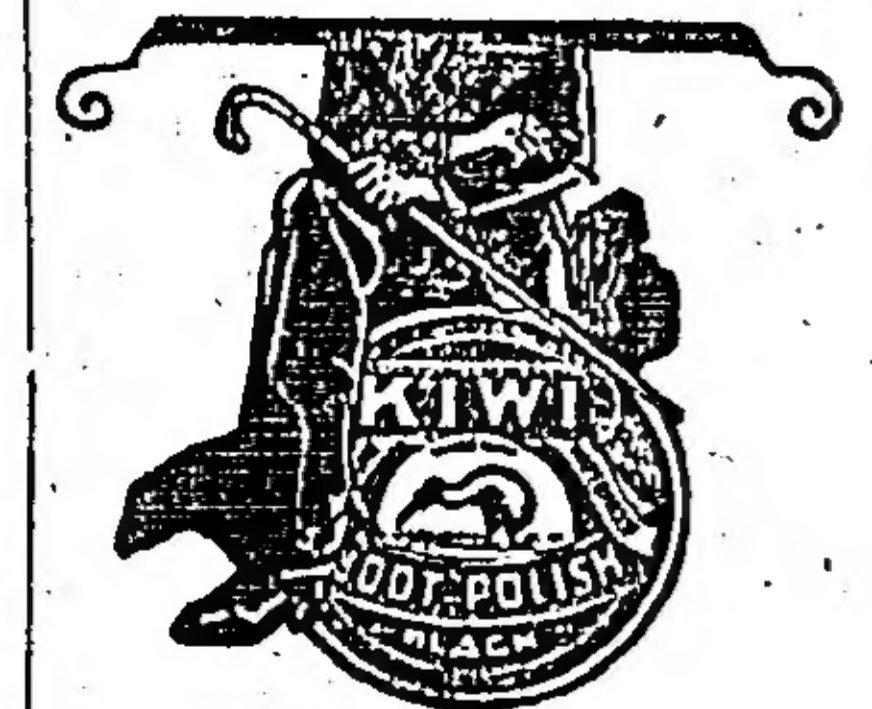
Wheat: With the North-West drought relieved and forecast of more rain, an excellent winter crop and hedging, the outlook is bearish. The Canadian visible supply shows a decrease of 5,340,000 bushels, whilst the visible supply in the United States has decreased by 2,000,000 bushels. The visible supply of corn shows an increase of 255,000 bushels.

Rubber: The market advanced on high May consumption estimates, the steadiness of the primary markets and the easing tension in France. The English stocks of rubber have decreased by 1,600 tons.

Hides: It is reported that 160,000 hides will be offered by the Government on June 17th.

REUTER QUOTATIONS

Dow Jones Averages:
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20 Industrials 140.94 151.39



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INNER MONGOLIA PLAN

PUPPET GOVERNMENT UNDER PRINCE TEH

Peking, June 8. According to reports from Kalgan, the Japanese are trying to accomplish two things in Inner Mongolia, namely:

- (1) The organization of an independent puppet government under Prince Teh.
- (2) The occupation of the five districts of East Suiyuan.

Both Prince Teh and Mr. Wu Hsiang have lost their freedom and the Military Headquarters of Mongolia has been organized recently with Prince Teh as nominal Commander-in-Chief.

Li Sou-hsin, Commander of the Manchukuo troops in North Chahar, has been appointed commander of the 1st Army of the Mongolian forces and Pao Kwei-ting has been appointed as commander of the 2nd Army of the Mongolian forces which indicates that Prince Teh has no personal influence over the Mongolian forces.

The Directors of Japanese Special Service Departments in Peking and Pellenmliao are extremely active at present.—Union News.

Volunteers Claim Successes
Farbin, June 8. More than ten Japanese officers were killed in an encounter with the anti-Japanese volunteers at Larin, North Manchuria, on May 29, according to a report received here.

According to another report, some 600 anti-Japanese volunteers under the command of Hsia Yung-kai launched an attack against the mining district at Tanyun district in Pingkiang province on May 22.

As a result of the fight, six Japanese were killed and three seriously wounded.

The Japanese Kwantung Army is planning to launch another suppression campaign against the volunteers.—Union News.

20 Wheat 48.40 48.70
20 Corn 27.10 27.10
20 Utilities 30.96 31.32
40 Bonds 102.20 102.31
11 Commodity Index 56.01 57.15



James Cagney, June Travis, Pat O'Brien infect plenty of dramatic thrills in Warner's success "Ceiling Zero" now showing at the Queen's Theatre.

EMPEROR SELASSIE EMPIRE PRESS UNION

TO NEGOTIATE WITH MUSSOLINI?

London, June 8. It is reported here that Emperor Haile Selassie is contemplating leaving for Rome shortly to negotiate directly with Signor Mussolini in the event of his failing to obtain satisfaction from Great Britain or the League.

The rumours of such a move are considered significant, it being recalled that prior to the Negus's flight Signor Mussolini was prepared to make an offer in which the Emperor retained sovereignty over certain provinces, and secondly, that Emperor Selassie recently stated that he would be inaccessible to negotiation.

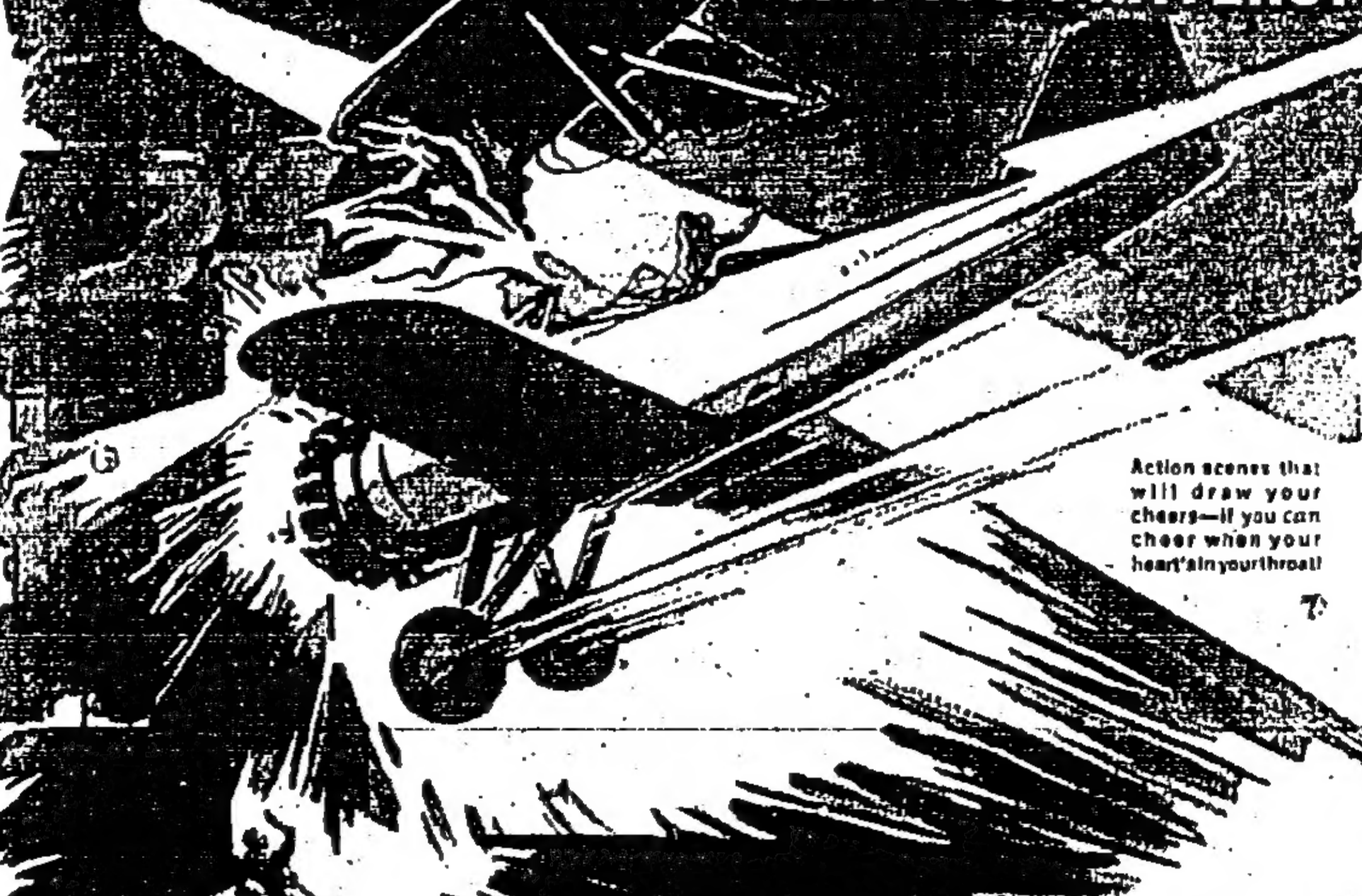
DOMINION SECRETARY WELCOMES DELEGATES

London, June 8. The Empire Press Union opened a conference in London to-day and Mr. Malcolm MacDonald, Secretary for the Dominions, welcomed the delegates from all parts of the Dominions and Colonies.—Reuter's Special.

Italy-German Pact
Berlin, June 8. Those who are informed state that Germany and Italy have agreed to common action in the event of Italy being forced to withdraw from the League of Nations due to sanctions.

Also they are negotiating an Italo-German non-aggression pact, about which Germany is non-committal pending solution of Italian and British differences.—United Press.

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INWARD MAILS

Strait	Burdwan	June 9.
Shanghai	Meerkerk	June 9.
Alr Mail by "Imperial Airways direct Service"—London date, 30th May.	R.M.A. Dorado	June 9.
Manila	Scharnhorst	June 9.
Calcutta and Straits	Sibiria	June 9.
Batavia	Tibbets	June 9.
Japan	Anjo Maru	June 10.
Europe via Suez (Letters and Papers) London, 14th May and London Parcels—London date, 7th May.	Corfu	June 10.
Japan	Dakar Maru	June 10.
Manila	Emp. of Russia	June 10.
Japan	Nagara Maru	June 11.
Japan and Shanghai	Tatsuta Maru	June 11.
Haiphong	Canton	June 12.
Australia and Manila	Changto	June 12.
Haiphong	G. G. Paul Doumer	June 12.
U.S.A., Canada, Japan, and Shanghai (Seattle, 23rd May)	Pres. Grant	June 12.
Manila	Pres. Hoover	June 12.
Japan and Shanghai	Itanpura	June 12.
Calcutta and Straits	Suisang	June 12.
Haiphong	Sphinx	June 13.
Straits	Demodocus	June 15.
Japan	Malacca Maru	June 16.

OUTWARD MAILS

For	Per	Date and Time.
Straits	Hong Kheng	Tues, June 9, 12.30 p.m.
Manila	Meerkerk	Tues, June 9, 2.30 p.m.
Swatow, Amoy and Foochow	Halitan	Tues, June 9, 3 p.m.
Samshul and Wuchow	Kong Ming	Tues, June 9, 4 p.m.
Saigon	Haidis	Tues, June 9, 5 p.m.

For	Per	Date and Time.
Swatow, Amoy and Formosa	Fukuken Maru	Wed, June 10, 10.30 a.m.
Shanghai	Stentor	Wed, June 10, 10.30 a.m.
Bangkok via Swatow	Kweizang	Wed, June 10, 1.30 p.m.
Saigon via Swatow	Shunchih	Wed, June 10, 1.30 p.m.
Straits and Calcutta	Chankang	Wed, June 10, 2 p.m.
Parcels	Letters	June 10, 3 p.m.
Swatow	Selstan	Wed, June 10, 3 p.m.

For	Per	Date and Time.
Madang, Salamaua and Rabaul	Frederun	Thurs, June 11, 8.30 a.m.
Shanghai and Japan	Corfu	Thurs, June 11, 10.30 a.m.
Amoy	Taiyuan	Thurs, June 11, 8.30 p.m.
Shanghai, Japan, Canada, U.S.A., Europe via Vancouver, B.C. (Parcels for Canada only) and Europe via Siberia.	Emp. of Russia	Thurs, June 11, 3 p.m.
(Due Vancouver B.C., 20th June).	Reg.	June 11, 4.15 p.m.
	Letters	June 11, 5 p.m.

For	Per	Date and Time.
Letters for "Imperial Airways direct Service"—due London 22nd June	K. P. O.	June 11, 5 p.m.
Reg.	June 12, 8 a.m.	Letters, June 12, 8.30 a.m.
Letters for "Australia by Imperial Airways Service"—due Darwin 16th June	K. P. O.	June 11, 5 p.m.
Reg.	June 11, 5 p.m.	Letters, June 12, 8 a.m.
Hollow, Pakhol and Haiphong	Kwangchow	Fri, June 12, 1 p.m.
Shanghai, Japan, Honolulu, U.S.A., Central and South America, Canada and Europe via San Francisco.	President Hoover	Fri, June 12, 1 p.m.
(Due San Francisco, 1st July).	Parcels	June 12, 3 p.m.
	Reg.	June 12, 4.15 p.m.
	Letters	June 12, 5 p.m.

For	Per	Date and Time.
Letters for "K.L.M. Service"—due Itanpura 22nd June	K. P. O.	June 12, 5 p.m.
Reg.	June 13, 8.30 a.m.	Letters, June 13, 9.30 a.m.
Australia (except places North of Ranpura) and New Zealand via Singapore and Brisbane.	(To connect with the a.s. "Nieuw-Zeeland" at Singapore—leaving (Due Brisbane, 4th July).	Letters, 18th June.
Reg.	June 13, 8.45 a.m.	Letters, June 13, 9.30 a.m.
Straits, Ceylon, India, E. and South Africa, Aden, Egypt and Europe via Marseilles.	Ranpura	Sat, June 13, 1 p.m.
(Due Marseilles, 10th July).	K.P.O.	June 12, 5 p.m.
Parcels	June 12, 4.30 p.m.	Reg., June 13, 9.45 a.m.
Reg.	June 13, 9 a.m.	Letters, June 13, 10.30 a.m.
Shanghai, Japan and Europe via Sphix	Siberia	Sat, June 13, 1.30 p.m.
Haiphong	Canton	Sat, June 13, 2 p.m.
Manila	Pres. Grant	Sat, June 13, 4.30 p.m.
Amoy	Suisang	Sat, June 13, 5 p.m.

For	Per	Date and Time.
Swatow, Amoy and Formosa	Hopsang	Sun, June 14, 8.30 a.m.
Fort Bayard, Hollow, Pakhol and Haiphong	Canton Maru	Sun, June 14, 9 a.m.
	G. G. Paul Doumer	Mon, June 15, 1 p.m.

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WARM WELCOME BY MINISTER

London, June 8. The annual conference of the Empire Press Union opened in London to-day. Major J. J. Astor, President of the Union, presided over the gathering which was representative of the Home, Dominions and Colonial Press.

The delegates were welcomed by the Dominions Secretary, Mr. Malcolm MacDonald, who said the sovereignty now belonging to the Dominions was complete and final. The freedom of the constituent parts of the Commonwealth and the spirit it engendered was an essential condition of harmonious co-operation within the Empire.

The Postmaster General, Major Tryon, also spoke and assured the conference that the Post Office was doing its utmost to give the Empire communications with the highest efficiency and at the lowest possible rates.—*British Wireless.*

SUGAR BILL AND WAR PROFITS

U.S. SENATE COMMITTEE APPROVAL

Washington, June 8. The Senate Finance Committee to-day agreed to report favourably on the Jones-O'Mahoney Sugar Bill re-consideration.

However, the Committee eliminated the permission given to the Secretary of Agriculture to pay the sugar producers a maximum of 50 cents per hundredweight of raw sugar, for complying with the Department of Agriculture's regulations.

The Committee also agreed to report favourable on the measure eliminating profits from war, by providing income taxes as high as 80 per cent. on the net incomes exceeding \$50,000 during any period the United States is at war, and also taxes as high as 77 per cent. on undistributed corporate income.

The Committee reported that such measures would serve to promote peace and put any future wars on a "pay as you go" basis.—*United Press.*

KOWLOON DOCK ACCIDENT

COOLIE SEVERELY INJURED

A nasty accident occurred at Kowloon Docks shortly before 5 o'clock yesterday afternoon, resulting in a labourer receiving severe injuries. He is now in the Kowloon Hospital, where his condition is reported to be fairly serious.

It appears that the man, named Wong Sin, aged 32, a coolie, living at Wulu Street, was working as a paint-scraper when he fell from the staging on the side of the N.Y.K. ship Heiyo Maru between the ship and the wharfside. He was crushed between two large wooden fenders.

According to a police report, Wong Sin fell into the water. He was brought up to the wharf where it was found that he was suffering from injuries to his hip and right foot. An ambulance was summoned and the injured man was removed to the hospital.

RUNS ON FUEL OF OWN MAKING

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Operating on methane gas derived from a sewage disposal works which in turn is activated by the engine, the Ford V-8 motor, has achieved something resembling perpetual motion. The engine is in regular daily use at the Greenacres, Indiana, sewage disposal plant.

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The engine has been in successful operation since March 1, 1935, using the methane gas exclusively as fuel. It runs 24 hours a day, seven days a week, at a speed of 1,500 revolutions per minute. Two regular Ford water pumps are used to pump the water nearly a quarter of a mile to the septic tank, through the coils and back to the motor. According to the engineer in charge, only minor repairs have been necessary during a year's operation and the engine is performing perfectly.

DEFENCE MINISTER'S VISIT

London, June 8. Mr. Oswald Pirow, South African Defence Minister, who arrived in London to-day, was among the Prime Minister's visitors at 10 Downing Street this afternoon.—*British Wireless.*

HEADS MOTHER CHURCH

Boston (Mass.), June 8. Mrs. Elizabeth Caldwell Tomlinson has been elected President of the Christian Science Mother Church, in succession to Dr. Frank Colby.—*Router Special.*

COL. LINDBERGH

POSSIBLY RETURNING TO U.S. SOON

Paris, June 8. The French aviator Peynaud De Torres, a friend of Colonel Charles Lindbergh, stated to-day that Lindbergh may return to America in August.—*United Press.*

Colonel Lindbergh left America for England in December of last year with his wife and child as he feared an attempt would be made to kidnap the child. His departure raised a storm of protest against the inability of the American authorities to eradicate kidnapping in the United States.

CRICKETER MARRIED

MR. A. M. RUMJAHN WEDS MISS AYESHA YUEN

The wedding of Mr. Abdul Mamul Rumjahn, the Indian Recreation Club cricketer, with Miss Ayesha Yuen took place last night according to Mohammedan rites at No. 355 Hennessy Road, third floor.

The bridegroom has been one of the leading cricketers in the second eleven of his Club for several years, and has also represented the Club at tennis and lawn bowls.

Maulvi Mohammed Noor officiated at the ceremony, and the best men were Messrs. A. M. Omar and M. I. Razack. A large gathering of relatives and friends was present.

EXCHANGE RATES

	June 5.	June 8.
Paris	76.13/8	75.51/64
Geneva	15.53 1/2	15.47
Berlin	12.53 1/2	12.40 1/2
Athens	53 1/2	53 1/2
Milan	63 1/2	63.15/16
Oslo	19.00	19.00 1/2
Shanghai	1/2.13/32	1/2.13/32
New York	5.01 1/2	4.99 1/2
Amsterdam	7.41 1/2	7.40
Vienna	20 1/2	20 1/2
Prague	12 1/2	12 1/2
Madrid	30 1/2	30.17/32
Lisbon	110 1/2	110 1/2
Hongkong	1/3 1/2	1/3 1/2
Bombay	1/6 1/2	1/6 1/2
Brussels	29.60	29.54
Monte Video	39 1/2	39 1/2
Belgrade	22 1/2	22 1/2
Yokohama	1/2.3/32	1/2.3/32
Rio	4 1/2	4 1/2
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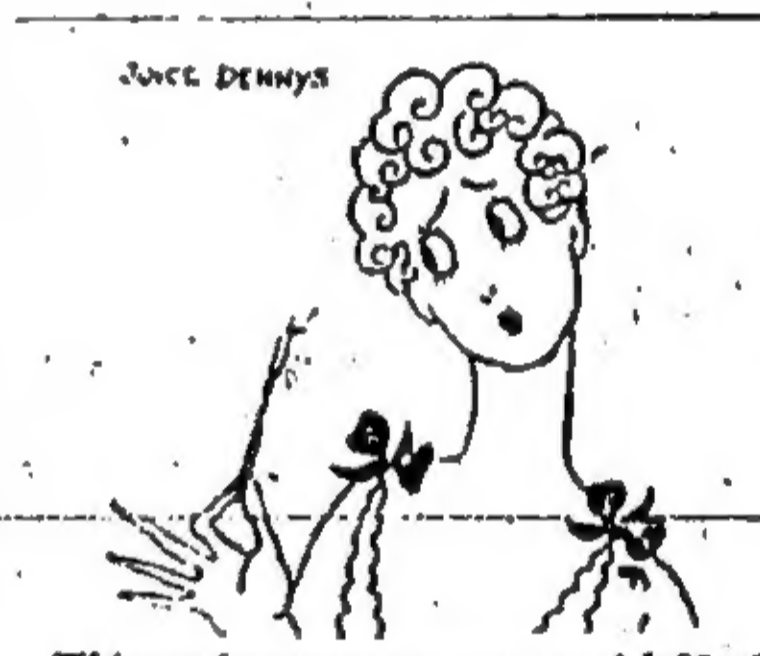
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MEDITERRANEAN SAFEGUARDS

There is considerable significance in the report that Britain is considering the transfer of her naval base in the Mediterranean from Malta to Cyprus, it being held in some quarters that Malta is now out-of-date and no longer safeguards the Mediterranean. Cyprus, on the other hand, is considered to be better situated to protect the Suez Canal entrance, and, moreover, possesses facilities for all types of aircraft. Without doubt, one of the reasons which caused the failure of the League in Ethiopia was Britain's tardy recognition that her control of the Mediterranean had been drastically weakened by the development of the aeroplane and new naval weapons which rendered naval bases, especially Malta, of little use. A well-known American journal, commenting on the failure to make sanctions against Italy really effective, asks whether it was more fear of injury by Italy or fear of upsetting a delicate balance of power in Europe either by throwing Mussolini into Hitler's arms or by breaking Italy's power to stand against Germany in Austria. The latter fear was manifestly dominant in France if not in England. It lay behind the Hoare-Laval plan. And from the beginning it lay behind the reluctance to apply measures which would have really stopped Italy. It probably accounts for the failure to close the Suez Canal which would have cut Mussolini's power in two. It was plainly the reason for applying only those sanctions which would still permit Italy to fight. Whether the sanctions which were applied were weakening Italy so that she could not have carried on a second year's campaign is a question. Haile Selassie's flight makes academic. Apparently, says the authority quoted, the League powers were counting too much on Abyssinian weather and geography. And Geneva was defeated far more definitely when it refused to

Will France Follow Spain On Bloody Path Of Terror?

POLITICAL assassination, arson and pillage have been the first-fruits of the triumph in Spain of the Popular Front or Communist Bloc.

Everybody here in Paris to-day is asking whether France is doomed to travel by the same bloodstained path and whether here, too, the summer skies are to be illumined by the flames from burning buildings.

In France, the birthplace of revolutions, the elections which have just taken place have given an absolute majority, not only of seats but of votes throughout the country, to the French Popular Front, which, like its namesake in Spain, is composed of Communists, Socialists and Radicals.

There are those who are saying, "The disorders may be occurring in Spain, but such excesses are impossible in France."

They have overlooked the atrocious massacres of September 1793 when the Paris mob murdered innocent prisoners and when the streets of Paris ran red with blood. They have forgotten that one year later within the space of five weeks 1,367 men and women, most of them innocent of any political crime—men and women of the highest character and unblemished life—were guillotined on the Place de la Concorde.

apply the oil sanction than when Addis Ababa collapsed. Whether sanctions would have been any more successful had the United States, Germany and Japan been in the League is very doubtful. The dependence of France on Italy—clearly revealed in the anomalous appeal to Rome to join in pressure against Germany over the Rhineland—was such that they apparently could not tolerate successful sanctions against Italy. The sanctions they did apply only irritated the Italian people and helped to make Mussolini's African adventure a national crusade against the League. What then does this experience mean? Manifestly sanctions failed to stop Mussolini. Or rather the nations failed to apply effective sanctions, dared not drive economic pressure to the point of military sanctions. Clearly peace could not in this case be enforced without the use of force. Can it under different circumstances? Probably not against any great power. Certainly statesmen, charged with responsibility for immediate action, are not likely to put much faith in sanctions until the nations have recognized more clearly that the risks of anarchy are greater than the risks of collective security. The next step for statesmen, who must deal with things as they appear to be, not as they would like them to be, will be some less pretentious method than Article 16—continued development of the Geneva forum as a means of showing up the essence of international disputes and adjusting them; working, through active application of Article 19 for the removal of injustices that cause war; or possibly general attempts to prevent rather than penalize war by putting embargoes on all belligerents. For others the next step might well be an undiscouraged effort to understand the true nature of peace and the peaceful thinking which is the surest peacemaking.

CIVIL STRIFE

FRANCE has even in more recent times of political stress been the scene of crimes worse than those which have been committed in Spain. In the Commune of 1871 churches were burned down and hostages were taken out and shot.

Nobody, therefore, can say that in a fresh fever of political agitation, when party opposes party, similar crimes may not be repeated.

But it is from the Communists, who are now for the first time in history 83 strong in the French Chamber, that such violence can be feared.

The Socialists and the Radicals, with a moderate programme, strictly within the law, may perhaps be allowed to hold the stage at first. And yet the Communists are already chafing at such restraint, and one of their more violent leaders, not a worker but a writer, M. Vaillant-Couturier, is slow to take advantage of such clamouring for immediate action as would be swamped. Many of office at once, whether such a thing be strictly constitutional or not.

History would repeat itself, and the little band of Communists, the "Montagnards" of the Reign of Terror, would become supreme in a Rump Parliament. Then there would come the reign of the guillotine and of the torturers, men of the bloodthirsty stamp of Couthon and Fouquier-Tinville.

The day might come when Notre Dame would be sacked and its priceless treasures disappear. Churches like La Trinite and St. Vincent de Paul might crash in a turmoil of smoke and flames. The great houses on the Avenue Foch might be the scene of murder, arson and pillage, and once more unburied dead might lie in the streets of Paris while Communist mobs from the Red suburbs armed with machine-guns and explosives wreaked their will.

There is another side to the picture. The French are more educated than they were in the days of past revolutions. There is a link between the ex-Servicemen, few of whom are revolutionaries, and the majority of whom are united in the intention to fight if Bolshevism should ever show its head in France.

Such organisations as Colonel de la Roque's Croix de Feu, which now numbers nearly 2,000,000 disciplined and enthusiastic adherents, would not accept red revolution and the suppression of constitutional legality without joining issue with its bitterest opponents, the Communists. There is the French Army, whose corps of officers, though not taking an active part in politics, would not countenance the violent overthrow of the present Republican regime.

There is, moreover, the fear that such civil strife might be fatal to the political independence of the country. It is known that a powerful and united nation lies on the other side of the Rhine—a nation which is pledged to suppress Communism, and which would not sit idle if the flames of civil war were to spread along its very borders.

PLAYING WITH FIRE
FINALLY, there is that extraordinary elasticity and power of recovery of the French nation. There are many, indeed, who say that although nobody knows his name, a "man who can save France" may be just awaiting his time.

Nobody can be sure of what the next few months may bring forth—whether they will mean revolution or recovery. But to live dangerously and then to expect some fresh and miraculous return to stability is simply playing with fire.



By
Harold G.
Cardozo,

SIDE GLANCES By George Clark



"Somehow, I get a laugh out of the doc's suggestion. He said a trip out to the Grand Canyon would be the best thing for me."

L.G.'s "End War and Poverty" Appeal

RULES FOR H.K. BATHERS

NO MULES OR GOATS CAN BATHE

The constantly increasing demand for bathing facilities in the Colony has made it necessary for the Government to decide on control measures at the various beaches.

Accordingly, under the terms of the Pleasure Grounds and Bathing Places Regulation Ordinance, shortly to be introduced in the Legislative Council, detailed rules are being laid down. These cover numerous points, including the conditions under which tents and awnings may be erected, and surf-boards used.

The proposed regulations, in full, are as follows:

At every bathing place—Vehicles (except perambulators) are prohibited on the beach; and Dogs (except on a lead); cattle, horses, mules, goats and similar animals are prohibited upon the beach and in the water over or near the beach, and no person shall do or cause to be done any act in contravention of any prohibition contained in either paragraph of this regulation.

TENTS AND AWNINGS

No person shall maintain for hire any tent, awning, screen or similar structure on the beach at any bathing place at which bathing sheds are maintained on areas held under permits issued by the Director of Public Works or the appropriate District Officer.

No person shall maintain for hire any tent, awning or similar structure on the beach at any other place (whether or not a bathing place) in Hongkong, Kowloon or New Kowloon, of the Director of Public Works, and elsewhere of the appropriate District Officer. The fee payable for any such written permission, which shall be valid for one year and which shall be subject to any condition which the Director of Public Works or the appropriate District Officer may deem fit to impose, shall be \$10.

Tents, awnings or similar structures, in private ownership and not intended to be let for hire, may be erected and maintained without permit for periods not exceeding twelve hours in any one day on the beach at any bathing place at which no bathing sheds are maintained on areas held under permits issued by the Director of Public Works or the appropriate District Officer.

Tents, awnings or similar structures, in private ownership and not intended to be let for hire, may be erected and maintained without permit for periods not exceeding twelve hours in any one day on the beach at any bathing place, only if an area in such beach has been allotted and marked off by the Director of Public Works or the appropriate District Officer, as the case may be, for such temporary erections, and then only within such area.

HAWKING AND RUBBISH

No person shall hawk any goods, wares, merchandise, or any food, at any bathing place without the permission of the appropriate District Officer.

St. Joseph With a Waistcoat

Picture That May Cause A Storm

A PAINTING which may arouse controversy in religious circles hangs on a wall of St. Augustine's Church, Chorlton-on-Medlock, Manchester, to which it has been presented by Mr. Louis Duffy, a young Manchester artist.

It shows saints in modern dress at the burial of Christ. Joseph is in shirt sleeves and wears a waistcoat. A woman kneeling by the figure of Christ has a shawl over her head. Mary and Nicodemus, however, are in flowing robes.

"I had no intention of merely painting a 'different' picture," Mr. Duffy told the *Sunday Dispatch*. "In every serious religious picture that has ever been painted the artist has used the dress of his own time for his characters."

Effective Message

"I firmly believe that I, or any other artist, can convey a message far more effectively through the colour and design of modern dress than by trying to recapture the traditional costume."

"Some people will fail to find any message in my painting when they see the dress of their own time, but on the other hand a great many have told me that they agree with me."

PEOPLE TRICKED AT ELECTION

Cabinet Pretended They Agreed With Council Of Action Policy

"WE are making a great human appeal to the electorate of this country on issues on the solution of which will depend the progress and happiness of the human race."

That was Mr. Lloyd George's opening declaration at a conference at Central Hall, Westminster, of chairmen and officers of area committees of the Council of Action for Peace and Reconstruction.

"One of these issues," continued Mr. Lloyd George, "is the abolition of human sacrifice as a means of protection against the forces of evil that divide nations."

TWO GREAT ISSUES

"This is the worst and the most cruel relic of a savage worship which unhappily survives in the form of war, and upon a more tremendous scale than was ever contemplated in the imagination of our forefathers."

"In the last war ten millions were slaughtered on the altar of this ferocious superstition."

The abolition of that was one of the great issues upon which they were concentrating.

His second thought was the imperative need of the reorganisation of the ample resources of society, in such a way as to ensure a square deal in life for all human beings who conformed to the just rules of a civilised community.

"The distressed areas," he said, "have been with us so long that we are now taking them for granted, but the bleak wastes of this country are not confined to districts which are scheduled as distressed."

"You will find them in hundreds of cities, towns and villages which are not on the list."

"As long as 20 millions of our fellow-citizens are declared by high scientific authorities to be habitually under-nourished, no one can claim that we have approached the attainment of what is due from a Christian State to its citizens."

"We are non-partisan, men and women of all parties—and a great many of us not knowing exactly what party. (Laughter.)"

"But we have felt that while there are several parties, there are only two alternative policies: one is the policy of human brotherhood and the other of inhuman selfishness and indifference."

WHY THEY FAILED AT GENERAL ELECTION

"These were the issues we stood to raise in the last election. We raised them in definite form in their bearings on current events."

"Why did we not succeed in impressing them on the electorate?"

"Largely because they were obscured not by conditions, but by the apparent adhesion on the part of all parties who were running candidates, and not mere adhesion but, so far as words were concerned, devotion."

"Take the talk of peace, veneration for the Covenant, the zeal for collective action and the need for improving the conditions of the down-trodden masses who lived in the black areas."

"All that was copied in every utterance and speech, not merely by every candidate but by the leading spokesmen of the Government, whose was the responsibility and the authority for dealing with these things."

"PRETENDED THEY WERE ON OUR SIDE"

"Hundreds of thousands of men and women honestly believed in the sincerity of these professions and voted accordingly."

"That is what happened at the last election. We were beaten not by argument but by assent. It never happened before and it is a very menacing phenomenon."

"We lost our case at the last election because these fraudulently pretended they were on our side."

"We know the result only too well. Disillusionment is now universal."

"Then came the inevitable triumph of plunder, barbarism and savagery. How many of those who cast their votes on the strength of those exalted and noble declarations made at the last election are now satisfied with the achievements of those chosen to redeem their professions?"

"Coming to the other branch of our appeal, the social conditions of the people of this country, I would like to ask not what has been accomplished, but what has even been attempted to relieve the distress in millions of households."

"Having failed through lack of the human energy, which is necessary in all big enterprises to lift international relations on to the level of ordered justice, the Government has taken refuge in joining the mad preparations for war which are going on everywhere throughout the world, and which will end in the most terrible calamity that has ever afflicted the human race unless something or somebody stops it—and that soon."

"It is a sad reflection that democracy should be purposeful, resolute, valiant and self-sacrificing in war, and be aimless, feeble, timorous and self-indulgent in the pursuit of peace."

"If ever we stumble again into war, which God forbid, I have no doubt at all that those many and



Mr. Lloyd George emphasises point during his speech.

noble qualities will be once more roused among democratic nations.

"It is impossible to stir them up now in and for peace and social reconstruction? That is our purpose."

IF COUNCIL IS TO SUCCEED

"If our organisation is to succeed at all it will be by helping to give the right answer to that question which I put."

"If the Churches are united in their determination to put these things right without deference to powerful interests, with the influence they wield both outside as well as inside the churches, and also without reference to party prejudices and predilections, all these wrongs and miseries would be swept away in a decade."

In a discussion Mr. P. Hopkins (Western area) foreshadowed the possibility of a great popular front in the cause of peace.

The conference, at which others spoke in the same strain, sat in private later to discuss details of organisation.

ETHIOPIA'S MINERAL WEALTH

IMMEDIATE SURVEY PLANNED

Work has begun for the scientific exploitation of Ethiopia's resources. Gold, platinum, iron sulphur, mica, nitrate and mercury are optimistically listed by Signor Gayda in the *Giornale d'Italia*. Signor Gayda also spills out the fruits of an African cornucopia at the feet of Italy.

Recently the Duce received Count Volpi who is Chairman of the Industrial Confederation of Italy. Signor Mussolini has ordered him to make an immediate start in studying the productive possibilities of Abyssinia.

Marshal Badoglio has given orders for the closure of the Imperial Bank of Ethiopia in Addis Ababa, in view of the imminent opening there of a branch of the Bank of Italy.

All auxiliary flying officers, non-commissioned officers and other ranks who have only their civil aviation flying certificate are being recalled to the colours for four months' training.

A VATICAN PRONOUNCEMENT

Addressing a Catholic Press conference and Catholic newspaper exhibition which opened in the Vatican, the Pope made his first reference to the Italian victory in Africa.

The Holy Father expressed his satisfaction that the conference concluded "almost exactly with the happy triumph of a great and good people—a triumph for a peace which should be and is a valid factor in and prelude of true European and world peace."

Much prominence is given in Rome to an interview granted by the American Ambassador in Rome, Mr. Brockbridge Long, at present in the United States, to the Washington correspondent of an Austrian newspaper in which he says: "The campaign in Abyssinia is finished, and so is also virtually finished the diplomatic struggle at Geneva."

Fascism has imposed its will. There are no existing factors of any kind capable of breaking that will. The victory is of value as a new guarantee of peace for Europe."

RADIO BROADCAST

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RECITAL BY ANNE WINTER

From Z.B.W. on a wavelength of 355 metres (845 kilocycles): 4.7 p.m. Chinese Programme. 7 p.m. A Relay from Daventry. "Monologue in Melody." John Ridley in syncretized pianoforte music.

7.15 p.m. The London Novelty Orchestra. The Midnight Waltz (Amodio); Neapolitan Nights (Zamecnik); Dream of Autumn (Joyce); Choristens Waltz (Phelps).

7.30 p.m. From the Studio. Selections by "The Harmony Boys". 8 p.m. Time, Weather, Stock Quotations and announcements.

8.05 p.m. Russian Melodies. Pas L'Espagne Waltz; Down the Mother Volga; Prelude; From Sunrise to Sunset; Beautiful Moon; Along Petrograd Road; Back to Broad.

8.15 p.m. From the Studio. The 2nd of a series of talks on Gilbert & Sullivan Operas. No. 2 "The first Triumph"—H.M.S. Pinafore by the Rev. T. F. Ryan.

8.45 p.m. Primo Scala's Accordeon Band.

Waltzes round the World; Song of the Lift; Old Street Mine. 9 p.m. Daventry News Bulletin and announcements.

9.20 p.m. Cinema Organ Medley. Broadway Melody of 1936—Selection; Curley Top—Selection; Indian Love Call—"Rose Marie".

9.30 p.m. From the Studio. A Recital by Anne Winter (Soprano) accompanied by John Shafstall. 9.45 p.m. Song Memories.

Drinks All Round; Medley of Leslie Sturges' Songs; Vocal Gems—Harry Lauder.

10 p.m. A Relay from Daventry. Big Ben Talk: "Imperial Affairs" by H. V. Hodson.

10.17 p.m. Dance Music. 11 p.m. Close Down.

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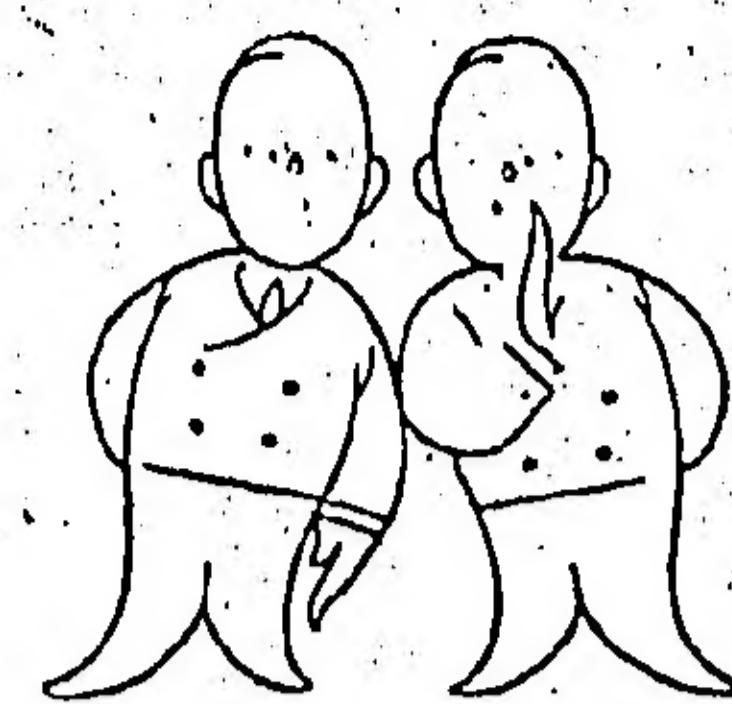
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(G.S.G., G.S.I.) 7 p.m. Big Ben. "Monologue in Melody." 7.15 p.m. "Agriculture in the British Isles: Horticulture." 7.30 p.m. The B.B.C. Scottish Orchestra. 8.25 p.m. "Starlight." Kenner. 8.45 p.m. Speech by the Hon. R. G. Menzies. Greenwich Time Signal at 9 p.m. 9 p.m. The News and Announcements. 9.20 p.m. A Recital by Winifred Small (Viola).

Transmission 3

(G.S.G., G.S.F., G.S.D.) 10 p.m. Big Ben. "Imperial Affairs." by H. V. Hodson. 10.17 p.m. The B.B.C. Empire Orchestra. 11 p.m. Evenson from York Minster. 11.45 p.m. Pianoforte Interludes. The News and Announcements. Greenwich Time Signal at 11 a.m. 11.55 p.m. The London Zigeuner Orchestra. 12.05 a.m. The News and Announcements. 1.30 a.m. The Alpaca, presented by Frank Stewart.

The new building of the St. Louis Industrial School near being completed, the Salesian Fathers wish to notify friends of St. Anthony's Church and the general public that this year their patron saint's day has been postponed for a few months until the time when the new chapel will be inaugurated.



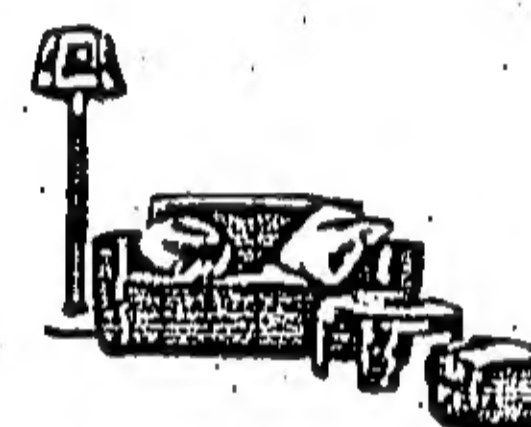
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WATER LEVELS

STATE OF RIVERS IN KWANGTUNG

The following returns have been issued by the River Conservancy Commission for Kwangtung Province, showing the water levels in English feet at the places of observation named:

	Highest on record	Lowest on record	June 7	June 8
West River at Shihing	+41.0	0	22.5	24.8
North River at Shihing	+24.0	0	17.1	16.0
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East River at Shihing	+18.5	-2.7	7.7	7.1

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Absence Of Bowlers Chief Trouble At H.K.C.C.

(By R. Abbit)

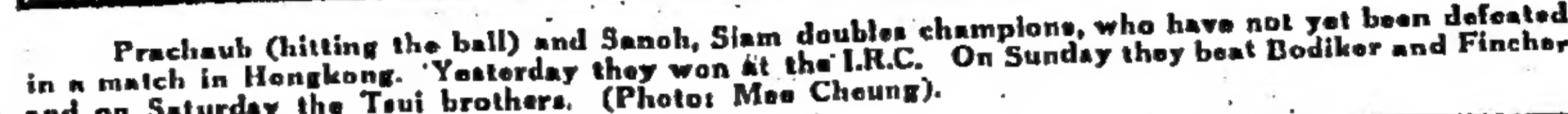
The Club have had a most difficult season and I do not propose to enumerate all the players they have lost since the season started. Suffice it to say that very nearly a full eleven could be made up of those who have gone, and one quite capable of holding its own in the League, especially in bowling.

present is lack of new players. If the nine names shown in the batting averages of the first eleven be examined, it will be seen that practically all are old hands. It is perhaps not surprising. In these difficult times few firms are bringing out youngsters from England. And must be confessed that, owing no doubt to the encouragement of tennis and even golf (horrible duels) at our Public Schools, fewer of the younger generation play the game. But there is no doubt that it does make things difficult.

E. R. Duckitt as usual has proved of sterling value and from personal observation I can vouch that he has definitely played much freer cricket than before, scoring at an excellent pace on occasions. His defence was never in doubt.

T. E. Pearce had played more regularly than has been the case for a season or two and he has done very

Dunkley, it is true, was not even times out of thirteen knocked out. I stick to my opinion that if
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The meeting of members of Kowloon Cricket Club, which was reported last week was contemplated to discuss the resuscitation of minton at the club, will not, we are now given to understand, take place.

Admission to the H.K.C.C. on days will be fifty cents.

This afternoon the Siamese endeavour to maintain their unbeaten record when they are entertained at the Club de Recreio.

Further re-arrangements will come necessary in the fixture local lawn bowls champions. The Singles match fixed today between H. F. Roz...

(By "Veritas")

But after the 5-2 lead the Chinese couple command of the exchanges. general improvement was noticed Tsui scoring nicely with volleys and Mrs. Chu steady from the baseline. The result that they held service and broke through Mrs. Wilson's del Mrs. Chiu's service followed and managed to hold that to bring scores up to five-all. Goldman won his service, but before

London, June 8
There are thirty overseas entrants among the 286 golfers who will compete in the British Open Golf Championship in which play begins

Manell died while on a week-end boating party. He sank while

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The club's Golf Committee, in charge of the tour, is negotiating with British officials regarding the golfing visit to England. The entire party will sail from New York in the Ile de France on July 23.

Sacramento, Cal., June 1.
The effervescent Max Baer, former world's heavyweight boxing champion, is to forsake the resined ring for the polished dance floor. Mr. Baer and his manager have gone to La

As a further attraction, the former 'Play-boy' champion has developed capacity for tap dancing which he

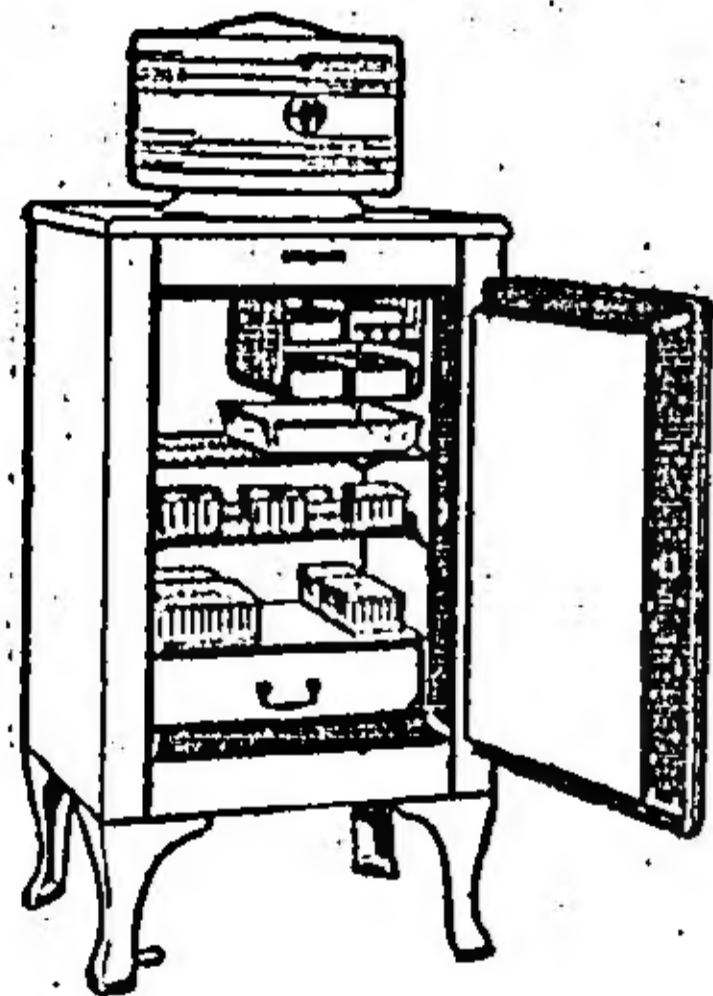
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EIGHT-BALL OVER FOR TEST
MATCHES RECOMMENDEDAustralia's
Desire
TACTICAL
POINTS
INVOLVED

(By Ronald T. Symond)

The Australian Board of Control have decided to recommend to the M.C.C. that the eight-ball over be employed in Tests as well as other matches in Australia.

During the last English tour in Australia the six-ball over was used in Test matches. The Board think that the time is now ripe to extend the normal conditions in Australia to all international matches in that country.

As the Australians have so readily agreed to adopt the altered l.b.w. rule, it would be churlish for us to boggle at a small point. But the change is not quite so trivial as it seems at first glance.

In conversation at Lord's, Mr. P. F. Warner, who is perhaps without a rival in experience of international captaincy, admitted to me that he would prefer to see no further extension of the number of balls per over. He pointed out that tactical considerations are involved.

If runs are precious, for example, it is one thing for a captain to hazard an experimental bowler for an over of six balls and another to face the risk of seeing a batsman take toll of eight.

Mr. Warner recalled a match in Australia when D. J. T. Bosanquet was very heavily punished. As captain, Mr. Warner hesitated to give him another over. He did so, and with success, for Bosanquet then took several wickets cheaply. On that occasion there were runs to spare, but that is not always the case. The risk of an eight-ball over, being greater than that of six balls, might be enough to turn the scale of a captain's judgment in making the decision.

NICHOLS'S VIEW

In the heat of Australia, an extra strain would be put upon fast bowlers. I asked M. S. Nichols, the Essex fast bowler, how he would like to bowl overs of eight balls. "I would prefer six in a Test match," was his reply. He emphasised the tense strain of bowling in such games, when a fast bowler puts every bit of his strength and concentration into each delivery. Two extra balls would make a difference.

Obviously, therefore, a change of the kind proposed would require readjustments. Fast bowlers would have to redistribute their expenditure of maximum energy to fit the changed over. A captain would be faced with slightly different tactical problems.

But the same argument applies conversely to the Australians regarding the new l.b.w. rule, so that the difficulties of readjustment are somewhat balanced.

The difficulties involved are by no means negligible, but scarcely so serious as to warrant a refusal. If the Australian Board are anxious to put all games in their country on the same footing.

Here is the "history of the over" in England and Australia.

England—1744, 4 balls; 1889, 5 balls; 1900 to date, 6 balls.

Australia—1867, 6 balls; 1919, 8 balls.

New Zealand adopted the 8-ball over in 1924, but reverted to the 6-ball over in 1927.

HOME RACING

London, June 8.

The Royal Hunt Cup call over today was:
Hutan 100 to 6, t and o.
Churcher 100 to 6, o, 20 to 1, t.
Law Court 18 to 1, o, 20 to 1, t.
Wychwood Abbot 20 to 1, o, 25 to 1, t.—Reuter.

GOOD
AVERAGES
DESPITE
DIFFICULT
SEASON

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ever had to bat early and take things seriously he would justify his place in any side here as a batsman alone.

FIRST XI AVERAGES

	Inn.	N.O.	H.S.	Runs	Av.
H. Owen Hughes	10	2	100	218	21.8
E. R. Duckitt	14	4	76	253	22.3
T. A. Pearce	10	3	107	508	50.8
D. E. Dunkley	13	7	86	145	24.1
T. E. Pearce	10	1	64	212	20.8
L. D. Kilbee	14	1	88	230	17.7
I. McInnis	17	8	85	228	14.2
A. W. Hayward	21	4	28	220	12.9
H. W. Haines	10	8	27	69	6.9
The Following also Batted:					
R. D. Gillespie	5	1	85	227	22.7
A. C. Crowder	7	1	52	142	23.6
G. R. M. Hicketts	9	4	42	139	15.4
x Not Out					
x Qualification 10 Innings.					

THE BOWLING

It was in bowling that the Club were worst hit by departures, and but for Crowder, Alec Pearce would have had to keep this department of the game going for them with very little support for a great deal of the season. If he has at times been disappointing as a bat, there is no doubt that he has bowled better than he has ever done out here. Dick Ricketts was only with us for a comparatively short portion of the season but he only failed by one wicket to qualify, and would have been second. Duckitt also got nineteen wickets and I am not sure that more use might not have been made of him. Garthwaite picked up a similar number of wickets at a much lower cost but of course he did not play in any of the League games, and, speaking without the book, I fancy he did not have quite the batting against him that most of the others did.

FIRST XI BOWLING

	Over	Mdn	Run	Wkt	Av.
A. C. Crowder	124.2	12	804	48	16.58
T. A. Pearce	177.4	22	653	41	16.17
I. McInnis	102.1	24	502	28	17.94
The Following also Bowled:					
L. D. Kilbee	54	12	170	10	9.42
G. R. M. Hicketts	83.3	22	150	19	14.21
E. R. Duckitt	80	16	350	19	17.37
x Qualification 20 Wickets.					

THE FIELDING

On the whole the fielding was good and Melan, is one of the finest catchers of the ball I have ever seen out here, while his return to the wicket is excellent. Dunkley was excellent behind the stumps while Owen Hughes continued to bring off excellent catches in the slips, while Ricketts, at first slip, was amazingly safe.

THE SECOND ELEVEN

The difficulties of the first eleven reached on the second who had great difficulty in getting out a regular side. Potter and Forbes were the mainstay of the batting while J. Stein on the few occasions on which he played showed that if in regular practice he was probably good enough for the first. But on the whole their season was a very in and out affair, and on the whole the bowling was not strong and the catching at times very indifferent.

SECOND ELEVEN FIGURES. BATTING

	Inn.	N.O.	H.S.	Total	Av.
J. E. Potter	8	2	106	216	26.3
I. R. Forbes	11	1	85	246	24.6
A. K. Mackenzie	7	4	105	150	15.0
R. S. W. Paterson	10	—	82	150	15.0
W. C. Bond	10	4	18	68	6.8
W. Wooding	12	3	13	42	7.00
F. A. Dunnett	7	1	24	50	6.00
The Following also Batted:					
J. Stein	2	3	82	170	80.20
H. J. Armstrong	6	3	43	95	15.83
x Not Out					
x Qualification 7 Innings.					

BOWLING

	Inn.	Mdn	Run	Wkts	Av.
V. C. Bond	64	7	285	18	15.83
H. J. Fox	59	13	276	18	21.23
The Following also Bowled:					
G. A. Millbank	23	8	63	8	7.88
D. de S. Carey	18	—	103	8	12.88
x Qualification 10 Wickets.					

Shanghai
Golf Record
BrokenBRILLIANT ROUND
BY RICKETTS

A. Ricketts of Shanghai who has been playing brilliant golf recently, has broken two records, one officially and the other unofficially. Playing on the Hungjao Course on Whit Monday in the medal competition he went round in 71 thereby beating the record of 72 made by N. A. Brown in the China Amateur Championship last October.

On the previous Saturday Ricketts, who was playing splendidly, recorded 60, the lowest score ever made over the Hungjao Course under any conditions. Unfortunately this score was done in a friendly game and, although every ball was holed, it cannot stand as an official record, which can only be made in stroke competition.

These two excellent rounds by Ricketts surely go to show that the saying "Try, Try, Try Again" is more than a proverb. It is an axiom. Ricketts, who is a keen golfer as anyone could meet, has on many occasions reached the 16th tee of the Hungjao Course with the record within his grasp. But disaster has overcome him each time on the last three holes and his card has been spoilt.

The two scores—first the 71 and secondly the 60—were made up, as follows:

4, 4, 2, 6, 4, 4, 3, 5, 3=34
3, 4, 5, 5, 3, 4, 5, 4, 4=37
His unofficial record score card reads:—
4, 4, 4, 5, 3, 3, 3, 4, 4=34
3, 5, 3, 3, 4, 4, 3, 4, 3=32

DEAD PUTTING

As is to be expected when 70 is broken, deadly putting was a feature of his game. As the Hungjao greens are beginning to improve, a good putter like Ricketts is now able to pick up a shot or two on the greens. Now-a-days two putts a green, once thought a good average even amongst professionals, is not nearly good enough. In the final of the English Close Championship, J. D. A. Langley, the runner-up, averaged less than two putts per green in thirty-two holes. He was beaten 5 and 4 by H. Bentley. The Champion putted so wonderfully that instead of sixty-four putts—the allowance for a scratch golfer—he required only fifty-one putts for the thirty-two holes.

Although the Hungjao Course is extremely short according to present day ideas—it is only 5,705 yards against Hoylake's 7,120 yards where this year's "Open" will be played—it calls for accurate golf and loose shots are usually punished. The Daily Mail Competition held recently at Bramshot, England, was of particular interest in proving that a short difficult course can defeat even the best of professionals. Yet of the 400 rounds played only about one per cent of the professionals was under seventy.

One professional lost three balls in the first nine holes and A. J. Lacey of Berkshire, who has been greatly to the fore recently, took 56 for nine holes. Alfred Padgham, the winner, took a 10 in one of the qualifying rounds and Alfred Perry, the Open Champion, has a couple of eights and a couple of sevens in one of his rounds.

WESTCHESTER CUP
TEAMS

London, June 8.
The International polo match between England and United States for the Westchester Cup will be played at Hurlingham on Wednesday. The following will be the line-ups:
England—H. Hughes, Gerald Baldwin, Tyrrell Martin, and Humphrey Guinness.
Hansut Singh who had been invited to play has not sufficiently recovered

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Augusta, Georgia.
Mr. Bobby Jones, former world's champion golfer, has been invited by Mr. Hiroshi Salto, the Japanese Ambassador to Washington, to visit Japan as an ambassador of good will.

The invitation was extended indirectly through Mr. William H. Wallace, Jr., of Augusta, who entertained Mr. Salto here during the recent Augusta National Invitation tournament.

Mr. Wallace said that he had posted the invitation to Mr. Jones. In the letter Mr. Salto said: "Convey to Mr. Robert T. Jones our wish, and the wish of all Japanese golfers, to have the chance of extending to him a royal welcome in Japan. His visit will not only enhance the standard of Japanese golf, but will surely contribute to the international friendship between our two peoples."

Mr. Salto came to the Augusta National tournament principally to see Chick Chin and Torchy Toda, of Japan, play.—Reuter.

from an injury to allow him to turn out.
United States—Eric Pedley, Michael Phillips, Stewart Iglehart and Winston Guest.—Reuter

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In the prison yard a scaffold
had been erected for those poor
wretches who had been tried and
found guilty of conspiracy in the
assassination of President Lin-
coln. Dr. Samuel Mudd, who set
the leg of the murderer, John
Willard, and been found
guilty of conspiracy, although he
did not know the man was a
murderer. His wife, Peggy, and
daughter, Martha, were in de-
spair. Will he be hanged?

CHAPTER SIX

A casual traveller riding down the
pretty, tree shaded street, on that
lovely Summer day would have
thought that the circus had come
to town.
In reality the occasion for this
morbid picnic was the hanging of
the unfortunates who had been
found guilty of conspiracy in the
assassination of President Lincoln.
Crude stands had been placed
in front of the prison gate.
Fish was being fried; hot corn
was being peddled.

It was close to the hour for the
execution. At the foot of the scaffold
the drummers were standing,
and on the gruesome instrument of
death, the executioners tensely
waited.

Suddenly Peggy Mudd, with Ew-
ing and Martha, appeared in the
courtyard. She stood rooted in hor-
ror as she realized she had walked
into the execution scene.

"It can't be now— not now!"
she cried.

"You got the best place in the
yard, lady," and soldier told her.
"Yonder's where they'll come out."

With a convulsive gasp she
turned and buried her face in Ew-
ing's shoulder.

"Steady," he said. "There's no
other way to know."

There was a rolling of drums and
the soldiers stood at attention as
the great, double doors at the end
of the yard slowly opened.

At a slow step a squad of four
soldiers appeared, followed by the
one woman conspirator, Mrs. Sur-
rat, bonneted and veiled, walking
heavily between two clerymen. An-
other squad of four soldiers and the
drums rolled again.

Standing close to Ewing, her hand-
kerchief in her mouth, Peggy Mudd
watched the doors open for a second
time. This time a man walked be-
tween the two groups of soldiers.

A third roll of drums
slowly the great door swung
shut.

Mrs. Mudd turned, white and
dazed, to Ewing. "Sam didn't come
out," she whispered. "Oh, do you
suppose— does that mean he's
going to live?"

The suspense had been too much
for her. Merciful darkness closed
in upon her. Ewing caught her as
she swayed and held her tightly.

No one looked at them.
An officer's voice broke the awful
silence. "Present— arms!"

There was a rattle of rifles and
metal. Another roll of drums.
A great gasp went up from those as-
sembled, a muffled scream or two,
and then a shout which rose to a
roar outside the prison gate.

CINEMA NOTES

Kay Francis, supported by a talent-
ed cast, comes to the Queen's Theatre
shortly in the First National pro-
duction "I Found Stella Parish." The
film is based on a powerful drama by
John Monk Saunders. Miss Francis
has the intensely emotional role of a
woman who tumbles from the heights
of success to the depths of despair.
Fighting to hide a terrible page in
her life in order to protect her six
year old daughter from scandal, she
is betrayed by the man she has con-
fided in. The battle of the young
journalist, the young man who had
published the story of her life after
having won her confidence, to bring
back her success and make up for
the injustice he had done her leads
to an astounding and intensely
dramatic climax. Jan Hunter, the
English stage and film star, has
the role of the journalist, with Paul Lukas
playing the part of the actress'
theatrical manager and suitor of the
time she had attained the pinnacle of
success.

Sybil Jason, the clever child
actress, is seen as Miss Francis'
daughter. Jessie Ralph has the role
of the child's nurse and Barton
MacLane is the blackmailing hus-
band. Mervyn LeRoy directed the
picture.

"Robin Hood of El Dorado"
By the time Warner Baxter com-
pleted his work as Joaquin Murrieta
in Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer's epic
production, "Robin Hood of El
Dorado," showing to-day at the
Kings and Alhambra Theatres, he
was a veritable walking encyclopedia
of information concerning the days of

In a dusky cell inside the prison
Dr. Mudd stood gripping the bars
of his door. In the corridor, a guard
and a sergeant had also been listen-
ing to the execution.

The green water of the Atlantic
Ocean had been displaced by the
blue of the Gulf Stream. A flat
cain left its surface, closely smooth.
The brilliant tropical sun beat down
pitilessly on a U.S. Army transport,
three days out of Hampton Roads.
On the vessel's foredeck, stretched
out with their chains draped around
them, lay a prostrate group of hug-
gared creatures, unshaven and garb-
ed in tattered raiment.

"Land on the starboard bow,"
shouted the look-out.

The prostrate huddle stirred.
Painfully they rose to peer over
the bow rail. Only a thin, scarcely
visible cloud-like line was visible.
There rose from the sea, while the
vessel drew nearer, a grim, forbid-
ding fortress, starkly white and
gleaming in the tropical sun.

"Well, boys, there she is—Shark
Island!"

Samuel Alexander Mudd, lately
doctor of medicine in the County of
Charles, in Maryland, surveyed
from pain wracked eyes the forbid-
ding spectacle before them. Here,
said the court that had tried him,
was he to spend the rest of his life.

And his physician's knowledge told
him that, behind those fever-struck
walls, that might be a short sen-
tence.

Fort Jefferson, Dry Tortugas.
Sixty-five miles out in the Gulf of
Mexico, place of living dead.

The transport drew alongside the
pier, jutting out from the forbid-
ding seawall. Negro troops, detailed
as guards, trooped down to the
deck, to take over the prisoners,
who were herded down the gang-
plank, their chains clanking with each
painful step.

As the condemned men crossed
the bridge, which was the only en-
trance to the prison, one of their
number, a filthy rogue, grinned
toothlessly at the soldiers and jerking
his thumb over his shoulder, mutter-
ed:

"That's him, soldiers!"
The Negroes stared curiously at Dr.
Mudd, who unwavering of their interest,
shuffled wearily along in his chains.
But suddenly his face lighted with
happy astonishment.

He had recognized Buck, the negro
who had worked for him.
"Why Buck?" he exclaimed.
"Move on, white man," said Buck,
with no sign of recognition, his ex-
pression, like the others, hard and
cruel.

Dr. Mudd stiffened, but after a
moment of hesitation he went on.
"Fresh meat, Sarge," said the
Corporal. "Ready for 'em?"

Yawning, Sergeant Rankin looked
up. "Shoot 'em in."

He came around to the front of
his desk, and leaning on it, glanced
through the papers.

Fourth in line, Dr. Mudd gazed
steadily at Rankin. He did not ex-
pect sympathy from this man who
had aided in his arrest, but his was
a familiar face and in this horrible
place there was a certain sad pleasure
even in recognizing an old enemy.

"Name?" said Rankin to the first
man.

"William Dugan."

The old Wild West. Much of the
picture was made in the remote
wilderness of the "mother lode"
country of Central California, the
region in which millions were taken
from the ground in the heyday of
the gold boom, and where Murrieta
led his wild men in raids on the
scattered American settlements. His-
tory dies hard in this wild country.

Living there to-day are scores of
grizzled veterans whose family his-
tories are indelibly associated with
these old times. Baxter obtained in-
formation about the gold rush days
that never has been written into his-
tory stories of intimate happenings in
the lives of their parents, stories of
stark tragedy, of hilarious comedy, of
vivid romance that flared in those
far gone days. Much of this was in-
corporated into the picture, "Robin
Hood of El Dorado." For in the
words of William Wellman, director,
it was "too good to pass up."

Reel-life happenings were dramatized and
transferred into action by the 200 men
and women from Hollywood who,
with the assistance of more than a
thousand residents of the gold belt,
re-enacted events that made history
in the days of '49. Appearing with
Baxter in the picture, produced by
commercial aviation, Pat O'Brien as
the superintendent of flyers at a
Western airport where Stuart Erwin
is employed as a pilot, seeks the
services of Cagney, a spectacular
aviator to join them. Cagney was
the devil with the ladies. He makes
a play for the pretty air hostess, played
by a new comer, June Travis, whom

"Hah," leanting his paper. "Mur-
der and arson. Life imprisonment."
Suddenly he shouted, "Get moving,
you lumps!"

"Next."
"Otto Lehrman," said the second
prisoner.

"Description, forty years," Rankin
read with relish. He grinned.
"You'll never make it, Otto," he said
with mock sympathy. "You're too old.
Get moving!"

Suddenly he saw Dr. Mudd. Put-
ting the papers down on his desk
he came forward, pushing the next
man from the line, and gazed at the
doctor with astonishment and seem-
ing pleasure.

"Well, if it isn't my old friend, Dr.
Mudd. Dear Dr. Mudd!"

With mock cordiality Rankin ex-
tended his hand. After a moment's
hesitation, Mudd took it. Rankin
tightened his grip.

"And no, all they gave you was
life, eh?"

With a sudden jerk he pulled the
doctor forward and at the same time
swung with his left to the jaw, floor-
ing him.

"Couldn't hang you, eh?" he sneer-
ed. "Well, by Juddas, you're going to
wish they had before I'm through
with you!"

Hauling off, he booted the recum-
bent man.

Then, taking the papers from his
desk, he snarled, "Next!"

Rising from the floor, Mudd wiped
his face with his handkerchief, notic-
ing to his annoyance that his hand
was shaking. Although he had made
up his mind that as a prisoner he
must expect to receive humiliating
treatment, and he had resolved to
endure it patiently—for it would do
no good to rebel—still he had not
expected to be so cruelly degraded.

Despite his determination to be a
stole, his nerves were badly jangled.
The tropical sun, streaming down
on them, the little group of forgot-
ten men were conducted to the big
iron gate through which they had
entered the prison yard.

Standing there, the wrists and
ankles bleeding from the weight of
the chains, they listened apathet-
ically to Sergeant Rankin.

"Before you go any further," he
glared at them, his venomous gaze
resting longest on Dr. Mudd, "I want
you to listen to me. Because I know
exactly what you're thinking, every
mother's son or you. You're finger-
ing on whether you're going to be
able to break out of here."

Grinning from one to the other,
he declared, "Well, we've got a little
way here of putting thoughts like
that out of your heads... follow
me!"

As the gate swung open, he bowed
elaborately at Dr. Mudd.

"You first, Doctor!"

On the other side of the gate the
prisoners were lined up along the
bank of what appeared to be a moat.
Pointing down at its dark waters,
the Sergeant continued acidly, "When
you're out, you're going to digger on
breaking out of here, I just want you
to give a little thought to this moat.
It runs all the way around the island.
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not more of 'em in that moat than
you could count. And sometimes we
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he knows is engaged to a fellow pilot,
in order to keep a date, he gets
Erwin to take his run for him.
Erwin runs into a fog and is killed.
Cagney is completely broken up
especially when he sees Isabel Jewell,
Erwin's wife. When orders come for
Wadsworth to take up a plane in a
terrible fog, he knocks him on the
head in order to save him for June,
and makes the run himself, which he
knows will result in certain death.
Martha Tibbets as O'Brien's wife has

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also had an affair with Cagney in the
past, deserves mentioning. Others in
the cast include Barton MacLane, as
the owner of the Aviation Co., Craig
Reynolds, Richard Purcell, Carlyle

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Owens, Edward Gargan, Robert Light,
James Bush and Pat West. Howard
Hawke, of "Hell's Angels" fame
handled the production.

NEWS OF THE DAY IN PICTURES FROM FAR AND NEAR

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HAPPENINGS AS SEEN BY THE CAMERA'S EYE

Patrolmen Who Face Burglary Charges



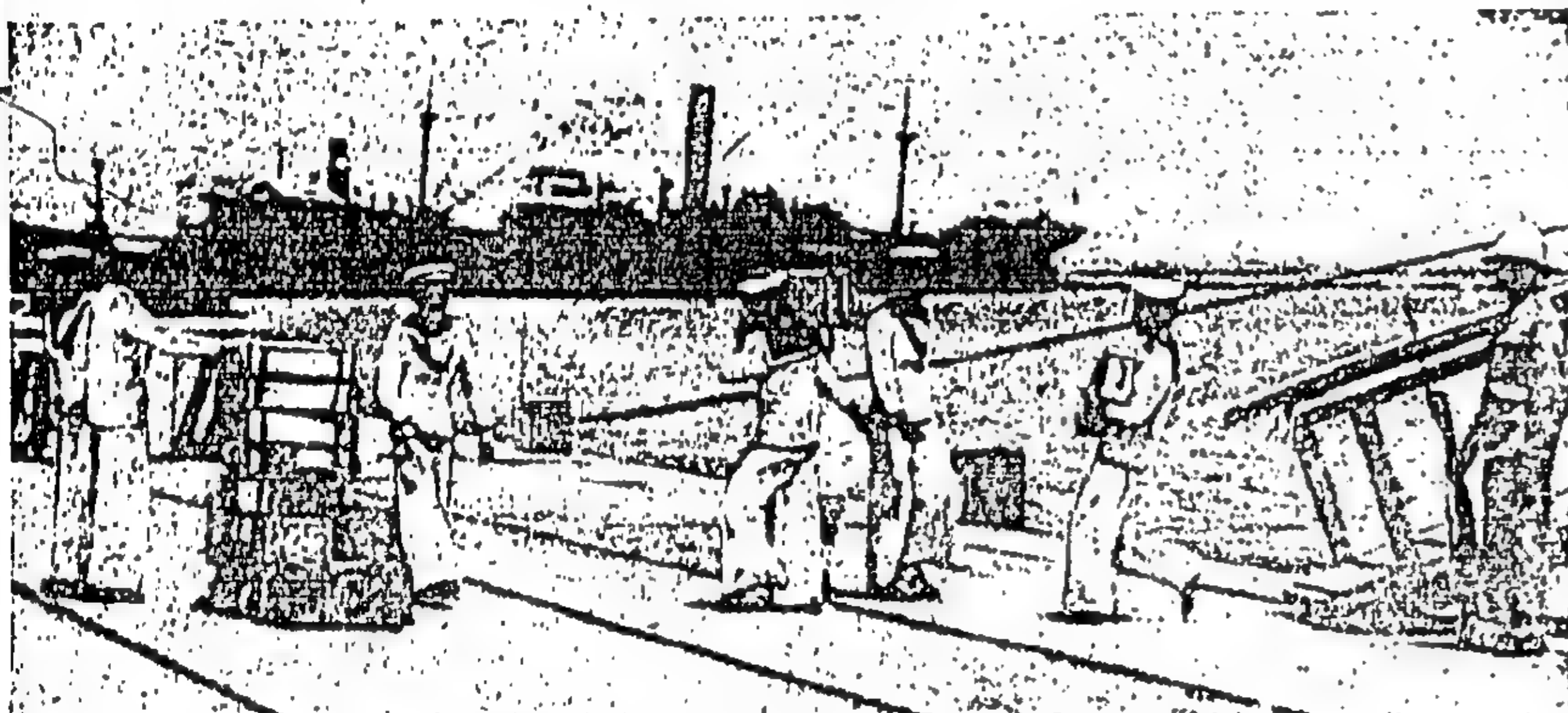
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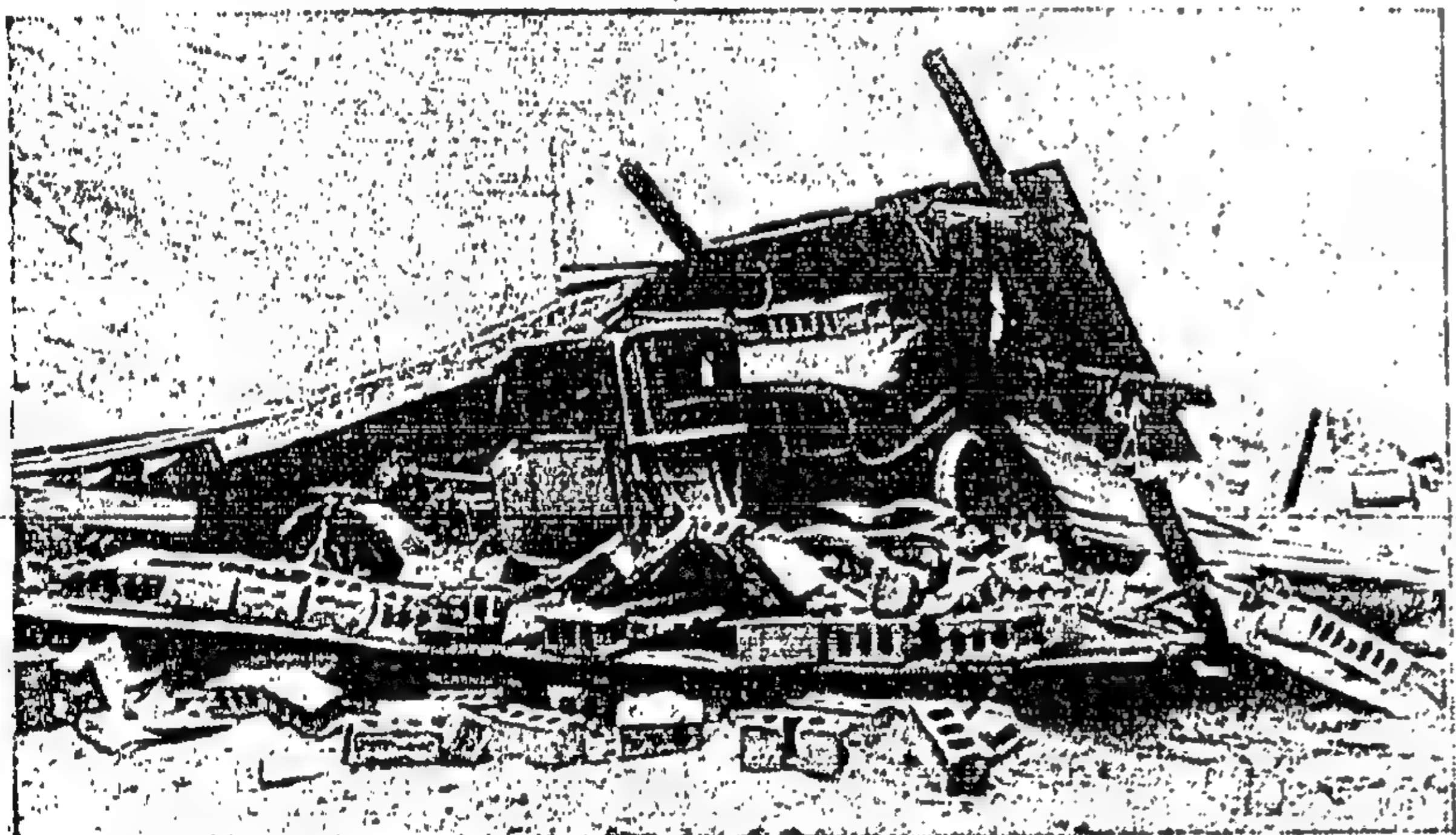
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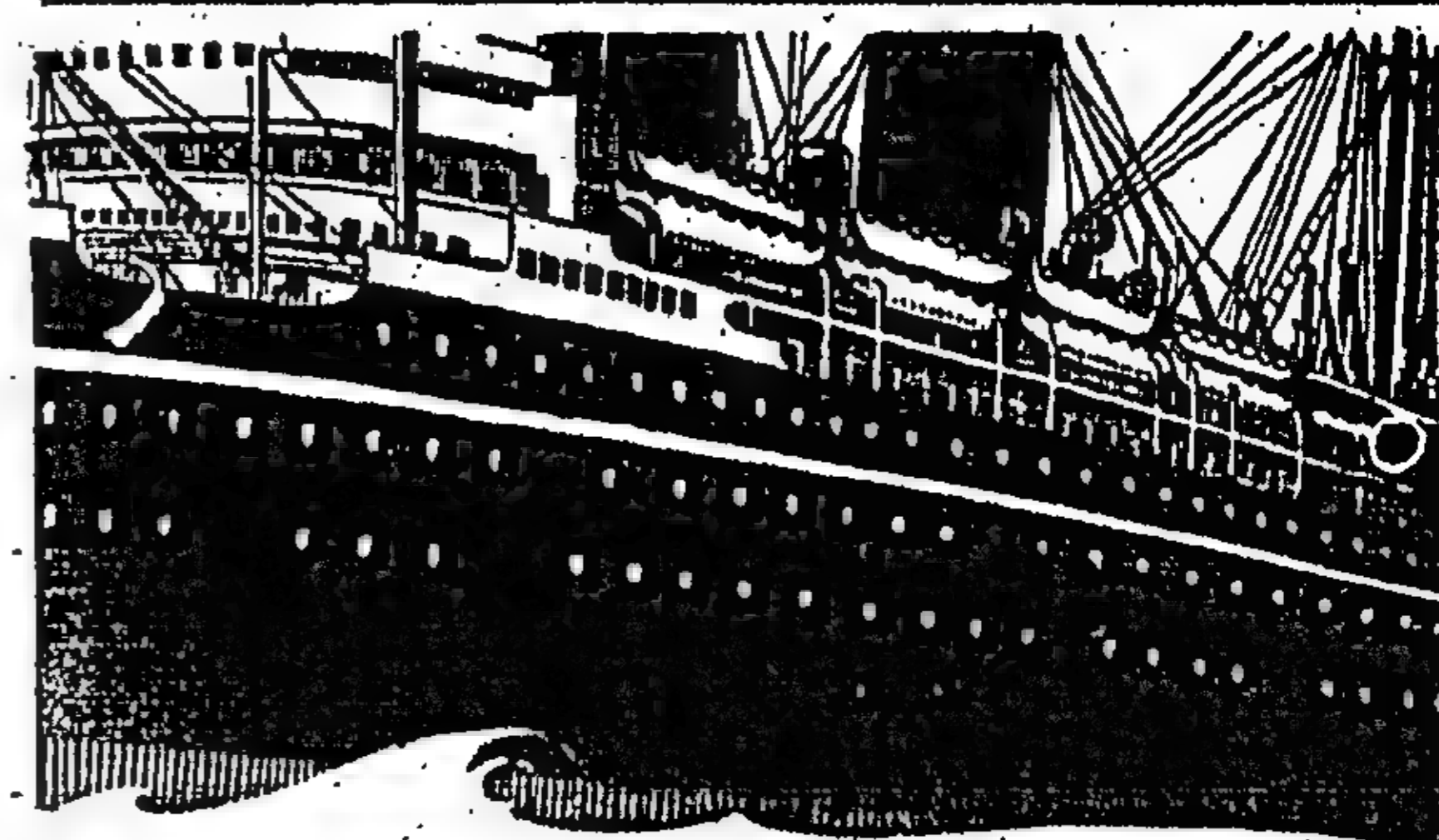
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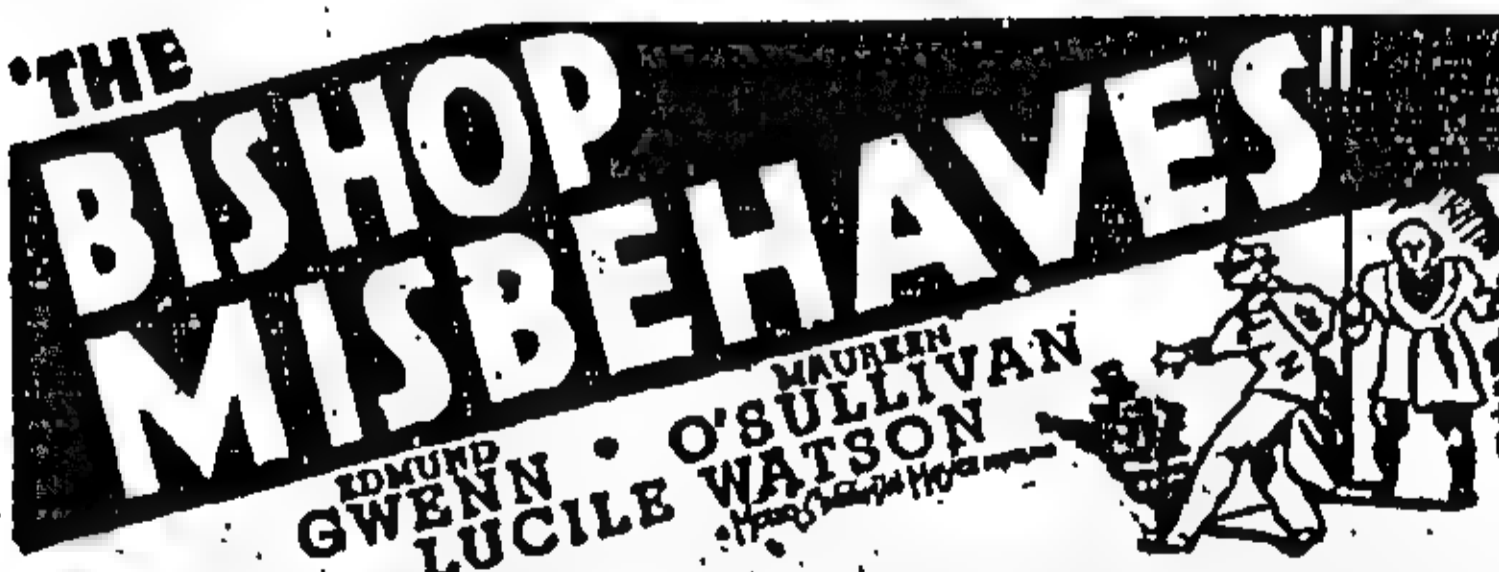
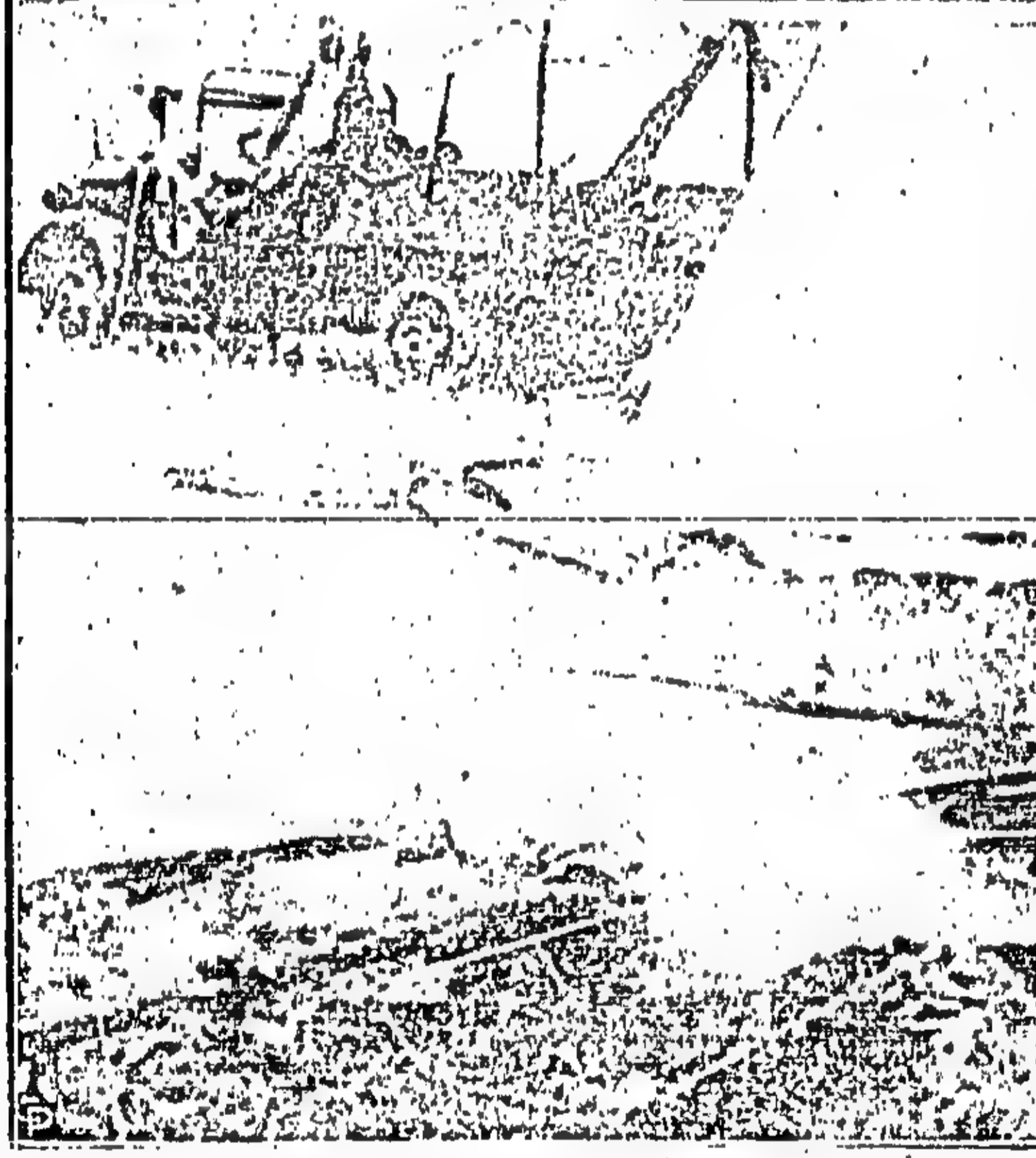
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Did Their Job"****WITHIN** these last few weeks of the sealing of the fate
of Abyssinia, fame has carried the name of a British
soldier round the world.It is that of Major William Forster Charter, M.C., officer in
command of the Indian troops forming the guard at the British
Legation at Addis Ababa.Everywhere is told the heart-stirring story of the gallant
deeds performed by this guard in rescuing the occupants of the
American, Belgian, and Turkish Legations from the wild tribesmen;
and the universal praise has been echoed in the House of
Commons.Mr. Eden has spoken of the "splendid work" of the guard,
declaring "These troops have saved a large number of foreign
lives."Now that the full facts are known, it is clear that the situa-
tion caused by the flight of the Emperor was as desperate as any
that had arisen in Africa since General Gordon was trapped in
Khartum more than half a century ago.Those who know Major Charter
were confident that he was
a man to be relied on in a "tight
corner."Every man among the detach-
ment of 130 Sikhs of the 5th/14th
Punjab Regiment he had with him
would have followed him to the
death; and he and everybody else
in the British Legation knew it.Major Charter is tall, lean, hand-
some, and 42. He was born in Cum-
berland. During the war he served
in the 2nd Scottish Rifles, and was
commissioned in 1915. He joined the
Indian Army in 1918.**Sent from India**The order to proceed to Addis
Ababa came to him when he was in
Poona last summer. His wife was
then with him, but later she return-
ed to England. The officers of the
guard under him are Capt. G. A. E.
Keene, Lieut. R. A. Anthony, and
Capt. T. E. Palmer, R.A.M.C.Major and Mrs. Charter have two
children—Elizabeth aged 12, and
William, aged 7—both of whom were
born in India. They are now being
educated in England.A press representative recently
saw Mrs. Charter at Datchet, near
Windsor, where she is living with
her mother.**"A Soldier's Wife"**Although she was obviously tremen-
dously proud of her husband, Mrs.
Charter was reluctant to express her
feelings."You see," she said, "I am a
soldier's wife—and soldiers' wives do
not like talking about their husbands'
service. At any rate, I do not.""My husband and his men have
done their job—and, it seems, have
done it exceedingly well; and,
naturally, I am very glad.""The Sikhs are magnificent soldiers
and splendid men—all of them.
Everybody knew they would be ideal
for the work at Addis. I know my
husband is very proud of them."Mrs. Charter is hoping that her
husband will come home on leave
later, and afterwards she will return
with him to India.**£30,000
AWARD SET
ASIDE**The Court of Appeal recently
allowed, with costs, the appeal of
Mr. Herbert George Latilla, a
financier, from the judgment of Mr.
Justice Charles awarding £30,000
damages to Mr. Edward John Way,
a mining engineer.Damages were awarded for breach
of agreement to give Mr. Way a pro-
fit interest in gold concessions in
West Africa which he had introduced
to Mr. Latilla.The Court refused leave to appeal
to the House of Lords.Lord Justice Slesser, giving judg-
ment, said Mr. Justice Charles had
accepted the evidence of Mr. Way in
preference to that of Mr. Latilla,
which he spoke of as "prevaricating,
shuffling and in some cases patently
untrue."**IMPERFECT RECOLLECTION**The divergence between the wit-
nesses, Lord Justice Slesser added,
might well be due to imperfection of
recollection. Some of the matters
that arose—whether Mr. Latilla knew
that Mr. Way's room lay in a certain
place in the building—did not possess
the importance attributed to them by
the judge."We must add that we think the
treatment which Mr. Latilla and
some other witnesses received from
the judge was hardly calculated to
promote the discovery of the real
truth."Lord Justice Romer and Mr. Justice
Finlay concurred.**GAOL FOR
MASTER
CROOK****£5,000 FRAUD ON
ENGLISHMAN**Edward Michael Cavendish,
alias Edward O'Reilly, an inter-
national crook, born in Brisbane,
was sentenced to four years' im-
prisonment at Nice recently.Cavendish, who lived at one
time in Dublin, was found guilty
of obtaining by false pretences
£5,000 from Thomas Belcher,
a Liverpool business man.He was a leader of a gang of inter-
national confidence tricksters who
awarded English visitors to the
Riviera in the past two years out of
over £20,000.William Ferguson, another Aus-
tralian, who was Cavendish's accom-
plice, was sentenced to five years'
imprisonment, by default.**BRITISH HOSPITAL BOMBED**The bombing of the British Red Cross unit at Quorram,
Ethiopia, was repeated on three successive days, and the result was
the almost complete demolition of the unit's tents and equipment.
A number of patients and attaches were killed and wounded in the
bombings, some of the result of which are pictured in the accom-
panying scenes. At TOP, tents of the British Red Cross ambulance
station are seen in background in the scene that shows members
of the outfit putting a wounded victim of the air raid on a litter.
At BOTTOM, the smouldering ruins of a hospital tent that caught
fire and was destroyed. Pictured in BACKGROUND is a truck of
the unit that was damaged by concussion of an exploding bomb.**"Tax-
Dodging"
Bill****LONG CLAUSES TO
TIGHTEN UP
COLLECTION**The Chancellor of the Exchequer's
Budget proposals for dealing with
attempts to evade the payment of
income tax by settling money on
children for educational purposes, by
investment companies, and by the
transfer of income to persons abroad
are explained at length—though in
technical terms—in the text of the
Finance Bill just issued.Of the 29 clauses of the Bill four
are intended to stop "tax-dodging,"
and they form more than a third of
the whole measure.
It is provided that any income paid
to or for benefit of a child by virtue
of a settlement shall be treated as
the income of the person who settles
the income for all the purposes of
the Income Tax Acts.**Avalanche
Kills Injured
Woman****SWEPT AWAY AFTER
FALL INTO CHASM**While lying injured at the bottom
of an alpine chasm, a woman has
been swept to death by an avalanche.M. George Couttet, the well-known
guide, was crossing the Alguille du
Midi, Mont Blanc, when he saw a
party composed of two women, Meda
Kosankowski and Illotha Habrecht,
both of Danzig, with a guide, enter-
ing a crevasse below him. One of
the women, Illotha, Kosankowski, slip-
ped and fell 450 feet into a chasm.M. Couttet ran to the spot and
heard faint cries from the depths.
Before he could fetch help, an ava-
lanche swept down the mountain,
through the crevasse, and carried
away the injured woman. The body
was recovered.**CEILING
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QUOTATIONS**The following quotations on the
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issued by Reuters.

New York Cotton			
July	11.63/63	11.63/63	
October	10.83/83	10.88/88	
December	10.78/78	10.84/84	
January	10.77/77	10.85/85	
March	10.76/76	10.84/84	
May	10.80/80	10.88/88	
Spot	11.75	11.75	

New York Rubber			
July	15.06b/08a	15.78/78	
September	15.70b/77a	15.88/88	
October	15.70b	15.85b/00a	
December	15.86b/88a	15.97b/08a	
January	15.80b	16.00b	
March	15.96b/08a	16.08b/10a	
May	16.04b/08a	16.16b	
Total sales	—2,170 tons.		

Chicago Wheat			
July	84 1/2/84 1/2	84 1/4/84 1/4	
September	84 1/8/85	84 1/4/84 1/4	

LOCAL ESTATES**PROPERTY OF THE LATE MR.
M. A. COOPER**The late Mr. Maurice Alfred
Cooper, formerly of 7 Macdonell
Road, and lecturer at the Hongkong
University, who died at the Victoria
Hospital on April 1, 1935, left local
estate to the value of \$23,500.
Letters of administration to the
estate have been granted to Mr. H. J.
Armstrong, solicitor, the lawful
attorney.Local estate to the value of \$10,800
was left by the late Mrs. Teui Kwan-
yuk, who died at 24 Yik Yau Street
on March 12 this year. Probate of the
will has been granted to Teui Shiu-ki,
attorney.Chicago Corn
December 87 1/8/87 1/8 80 1/4/86 1/4
Saturday's sales: 15,840,000 bushels.Winnipeg Wheat
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CLAIM ON "RAW SILK" SHIPMENT

**GOODS PROVED TO
BE COTTON WASTE**

**LOCAL ACTION
FOR \$92,862**

A consignment of 370 bales of raw silk which, on delivery, turned out to be cotton waste, formed the subject of a claim for \$92,862.75 brought by Messrs. Rajaram Girdharilal and Company, of Bombay, against the Dollar Steamship Line, before Mr. J. J. Hayden, Acting Chief Justice, and a special jury at the Supreme Court this morning.

Mr. H. G. Sheldon, K.C., and Mr. Leo D'Almada, Jnr., instructed by Mr. H. J. Armstrong, of Messrs. Deacons, appeared for the plaintiff company; the defendant firm was represented by Mr. Eldon Potter, K.C., and Mr. H. C. Macnamara, instructed by Mr. C. S. Hughes-Jones, of Messrs. Wilkinson and Grist.

The special jury comprised Messrs. W. A. Cornhill (Foreman), T. A. Mitchell, Li Tse-fong, C. M. Gee, V. D. Sorby, H. H. Priestley, and J. D. Darby.

Mr. Sheldon said the first dealings between the parties in the matter was on March, 1934 when the plaintiffs purchased from a firm in Canton, the China Overseas Inter-Trading Co., 60 bales of raw silk. The goods were shipped to the plaintiffs by the defendants on the s.s. President Polk, and the deal went through satisfactorily.

In July, 1934, the plaintiffs entered a further agreement with the China Overseas Inter-Trading Co. for the purchase of 370 bales of raw silk, and to pay for it they opened a letter of credit with the Mercantile Bank of India, Ltd., in favour of the shipper for the sum of 75,000 rupees, which was the purchase price of the cargo. About July 1934, the defendants agreed with the China Overseas Inter-Trading Co. to ship this cargo to the plaintiffs in Bombay, and the transshipment bills of lading were issued.

Chiang Kai-Shek's Stand Made Clear

WON'T TOLERATE USURPATION OF POWER BY SOUTH

BELIEVES CANTON WILL AVOID CIVIL WAR

Nanking, June 9.

The first official pronouncement upon the South-west situation was made by Marshal Chiang Kai-shek, the Central Government's actual leader, to-day.

He declared the Government would continue to adhere to its policy of safeguarding the nation's interests.

He admitted there had been differences between Nanking and Canton, but he believed the Kwangtung and Kwangsi leaders would not seize upon the Government's foreign policy as "an alibi in the starting of a civil war," nor proclaim their independence.

He emphasised that such questions as declaring war and negotiating peace rested with the Central authorities, not with a minority inspired with personal feelings.

Marshal Chiang announced that a plenary session of the Central Executive Committee would be held to discuss the situation, and he hoped Kwangsi and Kwangtung would attend in full force.—*Reuter*.

Kwangsi Policy
Canton, June 9.

Despatches from Nanking, Kwangsi, state that the Military Headquarters there has ordered mobilisation, stressing the following four points:

1. That Kwangsi people shall immediately sever all relations with the Japanese and "nullify" all existing Sino-Japanese agreements.
2. That anti-Japanese resistance shall be the only object of the projected northern expedition, since Kwangsi is opposed to civil war and fighting with countrymen.
3. That all armed forces, regardless of party affiliations, willing to participate in the anti-Japanese movement shall be welcomed.
4. That the expedition shall refrain from attacking private individuals or towns en route but shall strenuously fight traitors who endeavour to impede its progress.—*Reuter Special*.

INSANE CRIMINALS AT LARGE

**HUNTED THROUGH
MINNESOTA WOODS**

**LONELY FARMS
WARNED**

St. Peter, June 8.

Fifty armed policemen to-day searched the wooded Minnesota river bottoms for fourteen criminally insane fugitives from the state asylum.

These men escaped at sunset on Sunday after overpowering five guards.

They used the legs of dining-room tables to pry the iron bars from a second-storey window and slid to the ground by a fire-hose.

They climbed a sixteen foot wire fence and vanished.

The authorities have issued a statewide warning that the men are very desperate and patrol cars have carried the news to every farm house within miles, ordering farmers to lock their doors and windows and prepare for a possible attack.

Two of the fugitives, Tom Delago and David Rhoades were captured near St. James attempting to hitch-hike.—*United Press*.

ANGUISHED HUNT FOR INJURED

**FOLLOWS COLLAPSE
OF GRANDSTAND
DISASTER AT REVIEW**

(Special To "Telegraph")

Bucharest, June 8.

Anguished crowds are still making the rounds of hospitals to discover relatives who have been missing since the collapse of a grandstand at the review of Boy Scouts by King Carol, held to commemorate the sixth anniversary of his accession to the throne.

The review had been arranged as a climax to the conference, between Little Entente nations.

The stand, one of six, was a hundred yards long, seating nearly six thousand people. It collapsed in the middle, and the occupants were shot forward, a mass of struggling humanity.

It is believed that between twenty and thirty were killed and four hundred injured, many critically.

The stand was newly-constructed, the Mayor having refused the tender of a big contractor and allotted the work to small carpenters. Hence, the whole structure was badly co-ordinated.—*Reuter Special*.

THREATEN PEACE OF FAR EAST

**LONDON VIEW OF
CANTON POLICY**

**PURELY SELFISH
ATTITUDE**

London, June 9.

The *Morning Post* declares that once again the politicians of Canton are endangering the peace of the Far East for no discoverable motive other than the satisfaction of a personal enmity.

Had these politicians been in office in Nanking, the *Morning Post* asserts, they would have done no better than Marshal Chiang Kai-shek in dealing with Japan.

China's resistance to encroachment is impossible in China's present state, it adds. There is nothing necessarily unpatriotic about Marshal Chiang's willingness to come to terms with Japan. (Sun Yat-sen did it before him). If they had the immediate welfare of China at heart the Cantonese, in his place, would do the same.

"Were General Chiang Kai-shek's personal position alone at stake we should have little regard for the manoeuvres of Nanking and Canton, but the danger is that the consequences of these manoeuvres will extend beyond the politicians responsible for them, says the *Post*.

The Cantonese intransigence will revive the Japanese military junta's credit and enable it to urge its policy for rapid action in China.—*Reuter*.

LONDON OUT AHEAD

**CLEAR ROAD TO
VICTORY**

Cleveland, June 8.

The anti-Londonites are confused and in full retreat and the Kansas Governor's selection as the Republican presidential candidate at the national convention now seems assured.

Since Governor Landon is apparently assured of half of New York's ninety votes, Pennsylvania apparently holds the key to his early nomination. There are many indications that Pennsylvania will support him in the second ballot.

Colonel Knox of Chicago and Senator Borah of Idaho are his opponents.—*United Press*.

COLONEL GREEN PASSES

**SON OF NOTED WOMAN
FINANCIER**

Lake Placid, June 8.

Colonel Edward H. H. Green, director of several banking and industrial companies, and the son of the famous woman financier, Mrs. Hetty Green, died suddenly to-day.—*Reuter*.

TYPHOON WARNING

The Manila Observatory, reporting at 8.45 a.m. to-day, states that the typhoon is situated in about 120 Long, 27 Lat. moving N.W. The position is west of the Loochoo Islands.

PART OF RANSOM RETURNED

**LINDBERGH GETS
BACK \$14,860**

Trenton, June 8.

Colonel Charles Lindbergh, now in England, has instructed the authorities to hand over to his friend and legal adviser, Colonel Breckinridge the \$14,860 ransom money found in the home of Bruno Hauptmann, who was executed for the part he played in the Lindbergh baby kidnapping of 1932.—*Reuter*.

THOMAS TO SPEAK ON PROBE

**WHIPS HOPE HE
WILL RESIGN**

London, June 9.

Mr. J. H. Thomas, former Secretary of State for the Colonies, announced to-day that he is speaking in the House of Commons debate on the Tribunal report in connection with the Budget leakages. The debate is on Thursday.

Hitherto neither he nor Sir Alfred Butt, both of whom were implicated in the budget allegations, have indicated whether they intend to resign their seats in Parliament, though the Government whips are most anxious that this course be taken in order to spare the House embarrassment.—*Reuter*.

BIRTHDAY REVIEW

A rehearsal of the King's Birthday Review and march past ceremony will take place at Happy Valley at 6 p.m. on Tuesday, June 10. The actual ceremony will be on June 23 commencing at 5.30 p.m.

FILIPINO FLIERS REACH HANOI



F. Arnaz and J. Calvo, flying from Manila to Madrid, are here seen about to take off from Fort Bayard. They reached Hanoi last evening, after being delayed by bad weather, which necessitated their making a forced landing at Fort Bayard.—*Staff Photographer*.

FREDDIE TO SUPPORT HIS FAMILY

**MOTHER WINS PART
OF HIS INCOME**

**PRODIGY STAYS
WITH AUNT**

Los Angeles, June 8.

The battle over the guardianship of Freddie Bartholomew and the money he earns as a child actor—has ended in an agreement. It was signed in the chambers of Judge Harry Archibald.

His aunt, Miss Bartholomew, retains her guardianship and a portion of Freddie's income will maintain his parents, who are bringing his two sisters from England to make their home in Los Angeles. His grandparents have already arrived, to join the household.

Freddie will not live with this branch of the family, however. He will remain with his aunt, who is his father's sister, and who has brought him up from babyhood.

It was Freddie's mother who brought action in the first place. She lost the first court test.—*United Press*.

MODERNISED BATTLESHIP

**REPULSE STEAMS TO
MEDITERRANEAN**

London, June 8.

H.M.S. Repulse, which has been in dockyard hands for three years for reconstruction and modernisation, left Portsmouth to-day for the Mediterranean.

Reconstruction cost £1,400,000, and has greatly enhanced the efficiency of the battleship.

The Repulse will replace the Renown, which is about to undergo repairs estimated to cost £720,000.—*Reuter Special*.

FILIPINO FLIERS DELAYED

**FORCED TO LAND
AT FORT BAYARD**

**REACH HANOI
IN 8 HOURS**

Fears for the safety of the Manila-Madrid fliers F. Arnaz and J. Calvo, which grew grave when midnight came without word of their whereabouts, have now been allayed.

They were held up and forced down, finally, by bad weather, but they have reached Hanoi safely from Hongkong.

They left Hongkong at 10.50 a.m. and expected to cover this, the second, leg of their journey to Spain in something like seven hours, at most. But eight hours passed without word of them here. Nor could Hanoi see a sign of them.

However, a message from the fliers to the Philippines *Herald* cleared up the mystery. The *United Press* explains to-day.

"Arnaz and Calvo radioed the *Herald* they were forced down in bad weather at Fort Bayard. They resumed their flight and arrived at Hanoi at 6 o'clock.

"Their next stop will be Vientiane."

LEGISLATIVE AID SOUGHT

Assemblymen Tomas Oppus and Guillermo Z. Villanueva are filing a bill appropriating 20,000 pesos to defray the expenses of Antonio Arnaz and Juan Calvo in their projected Manila-Madrid flight. The success of the flight undertaken by the two Filipino aviators from Manila to Hongkong and Hongkong to Hanoi has prompted the legislators to give support to the flight.

Assemblyman Oppus says the success of the undertaking of the Filipino aviators warrants support by the government. He pointed out that it will advertise the Philippines Commonwealth in Europe and at the same time encourage aviation in the islands.

STRIKERS SLOW TO RESPOND

**NOT YET AT WORK
DESPITE ACCORD**

**MINE AND DOCK
CREWS QUIT**

Paris, June 8.

This gay capital still wears the habit of an English Sunday in certain quarters where the big departmental stores are still occupied by the strikers. But after a meeting this afternoon between the representatives of employers and workers, over which the Minister of the Interior, M. Salengro, presided, it was stated that there was hope of an agreement being reached and work starting again to-morrow.

The end of the strike of petrol suppliers resulted in an increase in street traffic, but the taxi drivers may strike to-morrow.

It appears that taxi drivers, shop-walkers and some other such, are not included in the newly-signed Labour Charter, which only covers industries. It is therefore possible that such trades may strike in order to secure their inclusion in the Charter.

Owing to the absence of newspapers in the provinces news of the strike settlement in Paris has travelled slowly, and it is impossible yet to state how many have returned to work. Generally speaking the situation is still unaltered.

Meanwhile, 1,500 Dunkirk dockers have struck and are threatening to disrupt the cross-Channel service, while miners of du Nord and Pas de Calais have struck, as they decided to do on Saturday.

The miners' delegates are meeting the employers to-morrow at Douai when it is expected that a settlement will be reached.—*Reuter*.

LABOUR JUBILANT

Paris, June 8.

A million jubilant strikers awaited their leaders to return to work to-day after their major victory. The Government hopes to end the new northern strike quickly. They attribute it to the lack of provincial newspapers, which cannot publish owing to the strike. The miners are unaware of the agreement reached at Paris.

They do not know that employers have conceded the demands of Labour for paid vacations, a forty-hour week, collective labour contracts and increases in wages ranging from seven to 15 per cent.

The employers signed the agreement on the condition that the Government assured uniform application of the terms throughout France.

However, the strikes cannot be said to have ended, for there are still individual claims to be negotiated.

NEW DEAL PROGRAMME

Meanwhile, the Government is prepared to take the first great step in the New Deal programme—the nationalisation of war industries—over which leaders are most secretive.

It is learned, however, that three solutions offered a direct expropriation by the state with a payment in cash or bonds; 2, placing government representatives on the boards of directors, thus giving direct control; 3, changing the munitions companies' common stocks, now bringing in unlimited dividends, to five or six per cent. bonds, the remainder of the profits going to the Government.—*United Press*.

INSURANCE STRIKE

Paris, June 8.

Seven insurance company premises are now occupied by stay-in strikers.—*Reuter*.

FRANC RECOVERS

London, June 8.

Effects of the new French Treasury, M. Leon Blum's declaration of policy were apparent on the foreign exchange market to-day, when there was a marked rally in the French franc, and other continental gold currencies strengthened in sympathy.

Closing three months forward rate for the French franc at 94 discount showed a small improvement.

The price of gold has recovered a shilling and a penny since last Thursday.—*British Wireless*.

Severe Floods In Assam

**FIFTY VILLAGES ARE
INUNDATED**

Shillong, Assam, June 8.

Exceptionally heavy rains have caused flooding in many parts of Upper Assam, where fifty villages have been inundated.

Crops have been destroyed and a large number of houses washed away. Casualties at present are thought to be small, but thousands are homeless. The Government is organising relief.—*Reuter Bulletin Service*.

Suez Must Be Neutral

**CLOSURE WOULD BE
ACT OF WAR**

Paris, June 8.

The permanent and absolute neutrality of the Suez Canal was emphasised by the Chairman of the Company, the Marquis de Vogues, at the annual general meeting to-day.

The Marquis said recent fantastic reports were answered by the International Convention providing that any Power withholding entry of the Canal to another Power would be guilty of an act of war.—*Reuter*.



Mr. and Mrs. Mollison

MOLLISONS PLANNING 27,000 MILE JAUNT

While aeroplane firms are busy on the new Air Force expansion programme, Amy Mollison and her husband are contemplating a world flight in two separate planes.

The intention is that the planes should keep together during the flight.

Mrs. Mollison told *Reuter* that she has not abandoned hope of securing a big plane, but it may be impossible to get one in time to leave England by the end of August.

The fliers plan to fly to Australia, Fiji, Honolulu, America and across the Atlantic, girdling the globe by a route covering 27,000 miles.—*Reuter*.

VETOES AIR RESERVE

Washington, June 8.

President Roosevelt has vetoed the measure creating an Air Reserve Training Corps, enrolling youths between seventeen and twenty-four, on the grounds that it was not needed immediately and that the cost would be disproportionate to its benefits.—*United Press*.

EXPECTED ON WEDNESDAY, 10th., per S.S. "CORFU". NEW PARLOPHONE RECORDS

- F 438 (Let Yourself Go. F.T. ("Follow the Fleet")
(I'd Rather Lead a Band. F.T. ("Follow the Fleet")
F 433 (Let's Face the Music & Dance. F.T. ("Follow the Fleet")
(We Saw the Sea. One Step. ("Follow the Fleet")
F 440 (Diddle Dum Dee. F.T. ("Broadway Hostess")
(Goody-Goody. F.T.
F 441 (Man From Harlem. Q.S.
(Doin' the New Low Down. F.T.
Played by HARRY ROY'S ORCHESTRA.
F 434 (Life Begins When You're in Love. F.T.
(I'm Putting All My Eggs in One Basket.
("Follow the Fleet")
F 435 (Indian Love Call. F.T.
(Rosa Maria. F.T.
Played by MAURICE WINNICK'S ORCHESTRA.
F 443 (Swingin' Down the River. Medley.
F 442 (Ol' Man Mose. F.T.
(I'm Gonna Clap My Hands. F.T.
Played by NAT CONELLA & HIS GEORGIANS.
F 445 (Breakin' in a Pair of Shoes. F.T.
(Swing Mister Charlie. F.T.
F 446 (Everybody Kiss Your Partner. F.T.
(I'm Nuts about Screw Music. F.T.
Played by THE KRAKAJAX NOVELTY ORCHESTRA.
R2199 (It's Gittin' Harder to Discover.
(And So To Bed.
RONALD FRANKAU'S Latest.
F 458 (Jazz Me Blues. Q.S.
(Cheerful Blues. Slow F.T.
HARRY ROY'S TIGER RAGAMUFFINS.
F 436 (But Where Are You ("Follow the Fleet")
(I'm Building Up For An Awful Lot Down.
F 444 (ALONE
(GLOOMY SUNDAY (The Suicide Song)
LESLIE HUTCHINSON.
F 457 (BLACK EYES.
(GLOOMY SUNDAY.
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THE DUKE MAY GO ABROAD NEXT YEAR

ANNOUNCING THE KING'S ACCESSION TO FOREIGN COURTS

THERE is likely to be a busy time ahead for the Duke of York, for it is said that the King intends to commission him with the discharge of many of the duties which were normally the task of His Majesty when he was Prince of Wales.

In fact, the Duke, as Heir Presumptive, will be "Prince of Wales" in all but name.

It is probable, too, that the Duke will next year receive the King's command to pay a series of visits to foreign monarchs to announce to them his brother's accession to the Throne.

This is a formality still followed by the countries which adhere to a monarchical regime.

With this project in view there are likely to be several additional appointments to the Duke's staff.

Another Equerry

There may include an additional equerry, a Naval, Military, and Air Force A.D.C., as well as a secretary to assist Commander Harold Campbell, who is now the Duke's only private secretary.

There will be increasing demands on the King's time as the Coronation approaches, and it is inevitable that he will frequently have to delegate his duties to one of his brothers.

It is stated that it was with this contingency in mind that the King included in his message to Parliament the suggestion of further provision for the Duke of York.
It stands at present at £23,800, but by the recommendation of the Select Committee on the Civil List he will receive an additional £25,000, which for the time being will come from the revenues of the Duchy of Cornwall.

BUTTER FROM JAPAN

20 COUNTRIES SHIP TO BRITAIN

ONE WAY TO KEEP HAIR SHORT

A novel method of keeping the hair short was suggested at the International Congress of Physical Medicine in London by Professor W. T. Astbury, of Leeds University.

"Just as human hair will stretch to twice its original length, so will it contract," he said. "If you want to avoid the barber expose your head to X-rays for six hours and then for two hours to steam. The hair will contract to two-thirds its original length."

Lord Dawson of Penna, speaking on "Physical Education," said physical education and games should be regarded as complementary.

"To-day the unit is preserved. The public conscience demands it," he added. "There is a strong effort to save men the weakening of physique apt to result from unemployment. Recreative physical training makes that effort."

The National Farmers' Union states that the recent arrival of a shipment of 50 tons of Japanese butter, following sample consignments during the past year, indicates that when her dairy herds have been sufficiently increased Japan may become a serious competitor in the British butter market.

The Union points out that in the past few years the United Kingdom has become the "dumping ground" of the world's surplus butter, more than 20 countries regularly sending supplies.

The Japanese dairy industry receives Government assistance in several ways. Part of the expenses of importing foreign-bred cattle is paid by the Government, and producers are able to use, free of charge, the animals kept at a Government livestock experimental station for breeding purposes.



H.R.H. the Duke of York, the heir Presumptive

MAN AND WIFE SWALLOWED UP IN 80-FT. HOLE

REAR OF HOUSE FALLS INTO ABYSS NO TRACE OF BODIES

The rear portion of two houses in Merton-road, Norwich, a district notorious for subsidences owing to superannuated workings of an old chalk pit, collapsed recently and disappeared in a hole estimated to be 80ft. deep.

An elderly man and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Hall, aged 74 and 71 respectively, were sleeping in the rear portion of one of the houses, and were swallowed up with their bed in the abyss. They were not found.

The subsidence occurred an hour after midnight. A rumble and then a crash caused Mr. Ben Bainham, of Merton-road, to rush from his front bedroom to pitch himself into space. As he fell into the hole he shouted a warning to his wife and daughter, and saved them from a similar experience.

Later, when rescuers arrived, Mr. Bainham was found to have had a remarkable escape, for after falling 20 feet his further descent was checked by a ledge at the cost of a fractured ankle.

Mr. and Mrs. Hall were the father and mother of Mrs. Bainham. Desperate efforts were made to find them, and tunnels were dug at different angles in the debris.

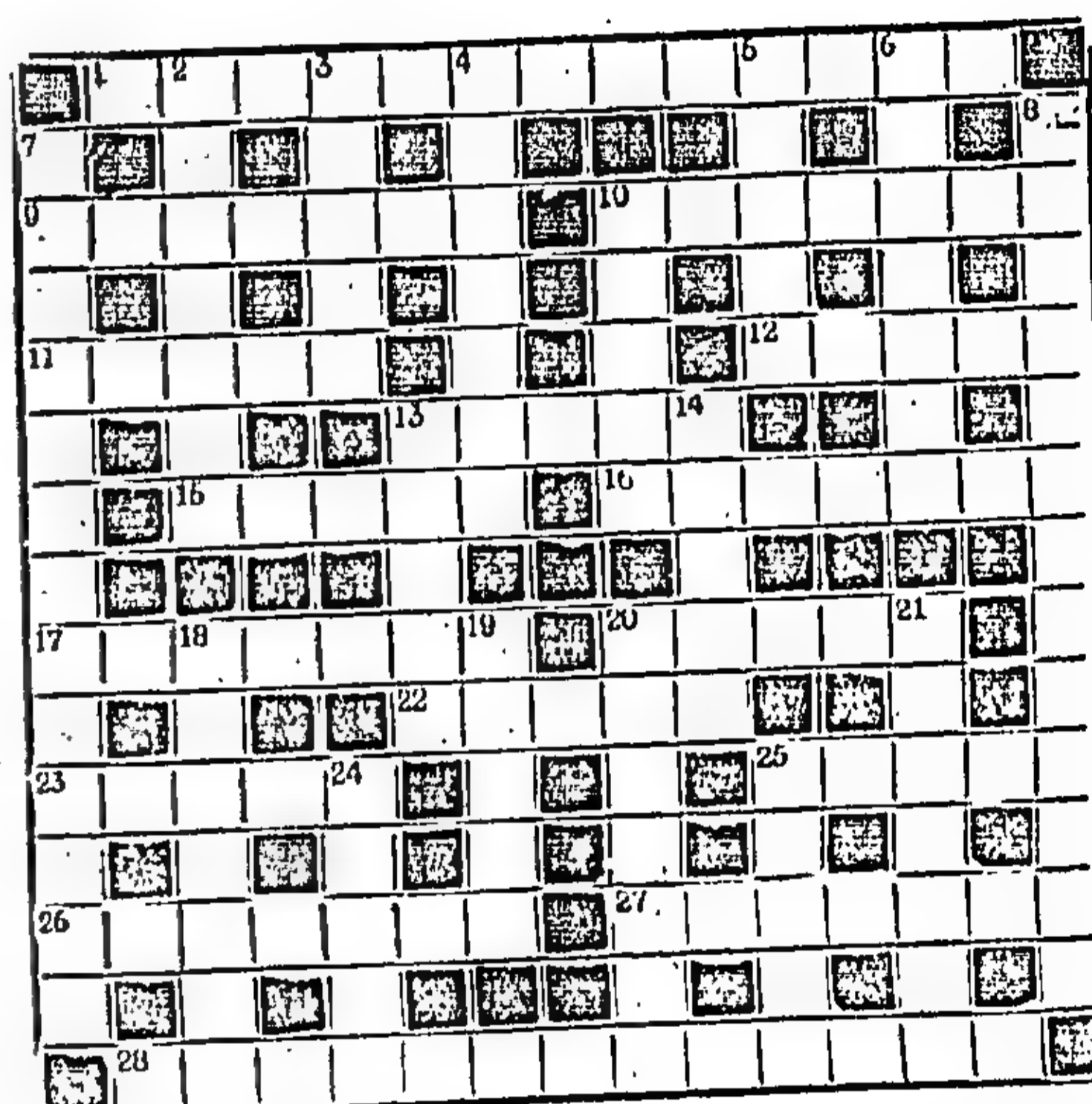
OTHER HOUSES EVACUATED
Though the whole of the rear of the Bainham's house has disappeared, the front is standing as though nothing happened.

In the case of the second house, Mr. Thomas Humphrey and his wife had remarkable escapes. Their bedroom was affected by the subsidence, and their bed was found to be standing within 3 feet of the edge of the cavity.

Robbed As He Lay Injured

WHILE lying semi-conscious in the roadway, after being knocked down by a motor-car, Councillor S. Harper, a former mayor of Lillingdon, N., was robbed of a gold and diamond tie-pin, worth £35. "Mean and ghastly," was how Councillor Harper described the theft. He has recovered from his injuries.

OUR BRITISH CROSSWORDS



ACROSS

- No, you must not think him as a mere roundsman: he makes a turnover only.
- Stretches in spite of holding her case.
- He's very closely related to one spouse.
- Comparative shade-of-colour for a spendthrift.
- And this Beth, was a great monarch.
- You must squeeze in the instrument somehow, though there's no more than room.
- You get this joint from below.
- Hopping for amusement? Rather: you can hear a fellow sing.
- Cut this out of act nine, please, it's no very old.
- How the fleet face the field to get instruction.
- A big 'un among the U.S.
- The cross-world urge—have you got it?
- This is the deep place where George lost the letter.
- The very thing for a free lance, and, of course, this will be second.
- A cheering soul emerges from an edifice used by bankers (hyphen, 5, 6).

DOWN

- Obliteration by time is certain.
- Not this with the inside—or outside.
- Turn backwards with the seamen below.
- If hard up she sometimes goes to uncle.

- He wrote "William Tell."
- Suitable if rather doubtful material for a marble capital.
- In these one gets all tied up.
- One might well imagine this old Scandinavian poet writing burning verse.
- Noblemen often called for in the House of Commons.
- Drugging us to Paris is less trouble than to go as escort alone (hidden).
- Coal pit (anag.).
- Showing the correct time to be tight.
- School best left to the doctor.
- Many people are proud to have come over with them.
- Taxman town.
- Hidden in Clue 14.

Yesterday's Solution

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RAW RUBBER PRICES

Messrs. Benjamin & Potts received
the following Straits currency quotations
(buyers) from Singapore today
for raw rubber:

Spot 25½ cts. up ¼ cent
July/Sept. 26½ cts. up ¼ cent
Oct./Dec. 26½ cts. up ¼ cent
Jan./Mar. 26½ cts. up ¼ cent

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LONDON STOCK EXCHANGE

YESTERDAY'S CABLED QUOTATIONS

The following quotations are the
middle prices at the close of the
market in London on June 8.
All quotations are subject to con-
firmation and no responsibility is
assumed for errors in transmission.
Last To-day's Price.

War Loan 3½% redm. after 1962	£105½	£105½
Chinese 4½% Bonds 1898	£ 96½	£ 95½
Chinese 5% Gold Bonds 1925-27	£ 99	£ 89
Chinese 4½% Loan 1908	£ 94½	£ 94
Chinese 5% Loan 1912	£ 90	£ 88
Chinese 5% Reorg. Loan 1913 (Ldn. Iss.)	£ 84	£ 82
Chinese Impl. Rly. 5½%	£ 93	£ 89
Honan Rly. 5½%	£ 49	£ 49
Hukwang Rly. 1911 5½%	£ 47	£ 46
Lung Tsing U. Hai Rly. 1913 5½%	£ 28	£ 28
S'hai-Nanking Rly. 5½%	£ 69	£ 68
Tient-Pukow Rly. 5½% (Brit. Stpd.)	£ 43	£ 43
Tient-Pukow Rly. 5½% (Ger. Stpd.)	£ 41	£ 40
Tient-Pukow Rly. 5½% (Brit. Stpd.)	£ 42	£ 42
Tient-Pukow Rly. 5½% (Ger. Stpd.)	£ 41	£ 40
Japan 5% Sterling Loan 1907	£ 76½	£ 76
Japan 5% Sterling Loan 1924	£ 80½	£ 88½
German 7½% Int. Loan 1924	£ 58	£ 58
Charter. Bk. of L.A. & C.	£ 14½	£ 14½
H.K. & S'hai Bk. Corpn. (London Regd.)	£ 90	£ 98

U.S. COMMODITY PRICES

LATEST CABLED QUOTATIONS

The following quotations on the
New York commodity exchange are
issued by Reuters.

New York Cotton	July	11.63/63	11.63/63
	October	10.83/83	10.83/83
	December	10.77/77	10.84/84
	January	10.76/76	10.85/85
	March	10.80/80	10.84/84
	May	10.80/80	10.83/83
	Spot	11.78	11.78
New York Rubber	July	15.66b/68a	15.78/78
	September	15.76b/77a	15.86b/88a
	October	15.76a	15.97b/98a
	December	15.86b/88a	16.00b
	January	15.89b	16.00b
	March	15.96b/98a	16.08b/10a
	May	16.04b/08a	16.10b
	Total sales	2,170 tons	
Chicago Wheat	July	84½/84½	84/84½
	September	84½/85	84½/84½
	December	87/87½	86½/87½
	Saturday's sales	15,840,000 bushels	
Chicago Corn	July	60½/60½	60½/60½
	September	61½/61½	61½/61½
	December	67½/67½	67½/67½
Winnipeg Wheat	July	77½/77½	76½/76½
	October	78/78	77½/77½
	December	78½/78½	77½/77½
Hongkong rainfall for the 24 hours ending at 10 a.m. to-day totalled 0.13 inch. The total since January 1 is 22.00 inches, against an average of 27.16 inches.			
Shell Transport & Trad. (Bearer)	99/4½	95/7	ex-div.

POST OFFICE.

INWARD MAILS

Shanghai	Meerkerk	June 9.
Europe via Suez (Letters and Papers) London 14th May and London Parcels—London date,		
7th May	Corfu	June 10.
Japan	Dakar Maru	June 10.
Manila	Emp. of Russia	June 10.
Calcutta and Straits	Shirah	June 10.
Japan, Shanghai and Europe via Siberia (London date, 21st May)	Anyo Maru	June 11.
Japan and Shanghai	Nagara Maru	June 11.
	Tatsuta Maru	June 11.

OUTWARD MAILS

For	Per	Date and Time.
Tuesday.		
Samshui and Wuchow	Kong Ning	Tues. June 9, 4 p.m.
Hoihow, and Pakhoi	Haihing	Tues. June 9, 4.30 p.m.
Saloon	Haidis	Tues. June 9, 5 p.m.
Wednesday.		
Swatow, Amoy and Formosa	Fukuen Maru	Wed. June 10, 10.30 a.m.
		Wed. June 10, 1.30 a.m.
Shanghai	Stentor	Wed. June 10, 1.30 p.m.
Bangkok via Swatow	Kweiyang	Wed. June 10, 1.30 p.m.
Saloon via Swatow	Shunchih	Wed. June 10, 1.30 p.m.
Straits and Calcutta	Chakrang	Wed. June 10, 1.30 p.m.
Parcels	Letters	June 10, 3 p.m.
Swatow	Selatan	Wed. June 10, 3 p.m.
Samshui and Wuchow	Tolsian	Wed. June 10, 4 p.m.
Thursday.		
Madang, Salamaua and Rabaul	Friderun	Thurs. June 11, 8.30 a.m.
Shanghai and Japan	Corfu	Thurs. June 11, 10.30 a.m.
Swatow	Nanchang	Thurs. June 11, 1.30 p.m.
Shanghai, Japan, Canada, U.S.A., and Europe via Vancouver, B.C., (Parcels for Canada only) and Europe via Siberia.	Taiyuan	Thurs. June 11, 3.30 p.m.
(Due Vancouver B.C., 20th June).	Emp. of Russia	Thurs. June 11, 3.30 p.m.
	Parcels	June 11, 3 p.m.
	Reg.	June 11, 4.15 p.m.
	Letters	June 11, 5 p.m.

*Superscribed correspondence only.

SHARE PRICES

The following is the list of
local share quotations issued this
morning.

Banks.	
H. K. Banks, \$1570 ea.	
H. K. Banks (Lon. Regd.)	
£98 n.	
Chartered Bank, £14½ n.	
Mercantile Bank, A. and B.	
£30½ n.	
Mercantile Bank, C. £13½ n.	
East Asia Bank, £73 n.	
Insurance.	
Canton In., \$263 n.	
Union In., \$515 n.	
China Underwriters, \$100 s.	
China Fire, \$462 n.	
H. K. Fire In., \$250 n.	
International, Sh. \$3½ n.	
Shipping.	
Douglas, \$36 n.	
H.K. Steamboats, \$4 n.	
Indo-China, (Pref.), \$30 n.	
Indo-China (Def.), \$20 n.	
Shell (Bearer), 95/7 ex-div.	
Union Waterboats, \$12.20 n.	
Mining.	
Kailan, 11/3 n.	
Langkats (Single), \$8 n.	
S'hai Explorations, Sh. \$4½ n.	
S'hai Loans, Sh. \$4 n.	
Raub, \$10.55 n.	
Venz: Goldfield \$4½ b.	
Docks etc.	
H.K. Wharves (old), \$88 n.	
H.K. & W. Docks \$9 n.	
Providents (old), 95 cts. b.	
Providents (new), 20 cts. n.	
Hongkew (old), Sh. \$185 n.	
New Engineering, Sh. \$4 n.	
Shanghai Docks, Sh. \$100 n.	
Lands, Hotels, etc.	
H. and S. Hotels, \$4.65 n.	
H.K. Lands \$30½ n.	
H.K. Lands, 4% Deben.	
\$100 b.	
S'hai Lands, Sh. \$13 n.	
Metropolitan Lands, Sh. \$10 n.	
Humphries, \$8.55 n.	
H. K. Realities, \$4½ n.	
Chinese Estates, \$82 n.	
China Realities, Sh. \$4 n.	
China Debentures Sh. \$60 n.	
Public Utilities.	
H.K. Tramways, \$10 b.	
Peak Trams, (old), \$7 n.	
Peak Trams, (new), \$3 n.	
Star Ferries, \$86½ n.	
Yamutai Ferries, (old) \$20 n.	
China Lights, \$10.75 n.	
China Lights, (new), \$7.70 b.	
and sa.	
H.K. Electric, \$51½ n.	
Macao Electric, \$18.75 n.	
Sandakan Lights, \$8.30 n.	
Telephone (old), \$25 n.	
Telephone (new), \$84 n.	
China Buses, Sh. \$11½ n.	
Singapore Traction, 28/- n.	
Singapore Pref 28/- n.	
Industrial.	
Malabon Sugars, \$9½ b.	
Cald: Macq. (old), Sh. \$19½ n.	
Cald: Macq. (Pref.), Sh. \$15 n.	
Canton Ice, \$14 n.	
Cement, \$9 n.	
H.K. Ropes, \$4.30 n.	
Stores, &c.	
Dairy Farm, \$19½ n.	
Watson, \$3.45 n.	
Lane Crawfords, \$6½ n.	
Mackintoshes, \$5 n.	
Sinceres, \$1.70 n.	
Wm. Powells, 40 cts. n.	
Wing On (H.K.), \$50 n.	
Cotton Mills.	
Ewo Cottons Sh. \$3½ s.	
S'hai Cottons (old), Sh. \$70 n.	
S'hai Cottons (new), Sh. \$39½ n.	
Zeong Sing, \$13 n.	
Wing On Textiles, Sh. \$25 n.	
Miscellaneous.	
H.K. Entertainments, \$2.90 n.	
S. C. Enterprise \$1.35 n.	
Macao "Greyhounds," \$2 n.	
Constructions, (old), \$1½ n.	
Constructions, (new), 30 cts. b.	
Vibro Piling, \$3 s.	
Ch. Govt. 5% 1925\$Bds. 93½ n.	
H.K. Govt. 3½% Loan 1926	
Term. b.	
H.K. Govt. 3½% Loan par. b.	

EXCHANGE RATES

	June 5.	June 6.
Paris	76.13/64	75.51/64
Geneva	15.53½	15.43
Berlin	12.53½	12.40½
Athens	535	535
Milan	93½	93.15/16
Oslo	19.99	19.90½
Shanghai	1/2 13/32	1/2 13/32
New York	5.01½	4.99½
Amsterdam	7.41½	7.40
Vienna	20½	20½
Prague	121½	120½
Madrid	36½	36.17/32
Lisbon	11½	11½
Hongkong	1/6½	1/6½
Bombay	1/6½	1/6½
Brussels	20.60	20.54
Monte Video	39½	39½
Belgrade	221	220
Yokohama	1/2 3/32	1/2 3/32
Rio	19½	19½
Silver (Spot)	101½	20.1/16
Silver (Forward)	101½	20.1/16
War Loan	105.1/16	105.1/16

EXCHANGE

Selling

T.T.	1/3½
Demand	1/3½
T.T. Shanghai	106½
T.T. Singapore	54½
T.T. Japan	108½
T.T. India	84½
T.T. San Francisco & New York	31½
T.T. Manila	63½
T.T. Batavia	47
T.T. Bangkok	143½
T.T. France	48½
T.T. Lisbon	6590

Buying

4 m/s. L/C	1/34½
4 m/s. D/C	1/34½
4 m/s. San Francisco &	33
4 m/s. France	5.50
New York	4.99½

PHILIPPINE GOLD MINING SHARES

Messrs. Benjamin & Potts received
the following buying and selling
quotations from their Manila Agents
this morning:

Benguet Consol.	12.10	12.20
Antamok	2.55	
United Paracale	.67	.69
San Mauricio	.66	.68
I.X.L.A.	1.10	1.15
Mabute	.47½	.48
Demonstrations	.65	.66
Big Wedges	.23	.23½
Itocons	.78	

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Itocons, \$1.20 n.	
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Northern Mining, 40 cts. n.	
Paracale Guinea, 50 cts. n.	
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DRUG POSSESSION CHARGES

SEVERAL CASES AT MAGISTRACY

Five men and a woman appeared before Mr. W. Schofield, at the Central Magistracy this morning, charged with possession of dangerous drugs at two different addresses, and were formally remanded for one week on bail of \$2,000 each.

Cheung Kam-ming, 38, Lau Hung, 30, and Lo Shing, were charged with possession of dangerous drugs at No. 470 Lockhart Road, third floor, and Ip Ping, 30, Chau Tak, 66, and Li Ho, a widow aged 71, with possession of dangerous drugs at No. 1 Hyman Avenue, third floor.

Mr. S. Ng Quin appeared on behalf of Cheung Kam-ming and Lo Shing.

Revenue Officer Grimmitt, who prosecuted, stated that Detective Inspector A. E. Carey would be taking charge of the case at the next hearing.

OTHER CASES

Appearing before Mr. S. F. Balfour, at the Central Magistracy this morning, Wong Hang, unemployed, was fined a total of \$150, in default, three months' hard labour, on three charges of keeping an opium den at No. 2 Gilman Street, second floor, possession of 1.8 taels of opium and possession of 750 heroin pills. Wong Kiu, an employee of the Ng Young restaurant, who was also charged, was convicted on the last charge, and fined \$300, in default, three months' hard labour.

Mr. G. Y. Kwan appeared for defendant, and pleaded guilty on behalf of the first accused, and not guilty for the second accused.

It was stated by Revenue Officer Grimmitt that the address was raided by Revenue Officer Ward and a party of revenue officers at 9.30 a.m. on June 1. There were several smokers on the floor, who stated they bought their opium and pills from the first defendant. Second defendant was seen to open a drawer and attempt to take a packet of pills.

Li So, 21, unemployed, arrested in Connaught Road West in possession of 180 taels of raw opium was fined \$2,000, in default, eight months' hard labour by Mr. S. F. Balfour, at the Central Magistracy this morning.

GAOL TERMS FOR SNATCHERS

ONE ALSO TO BE BIRCHED

Sentence of two months' hard labour, with the addition of 12 strokes of the birch, was inflicted on an 18-year-old unemployed youth, Lam Hung, when he appeared before Mr. Macfarlane at the Kowloon Magistracy this morning, charged with stealing a handbag containing \$80.55 from Mo Yin-tan, married woman, in Soy Street.

Detective-Sergeant R. Ellis stated that complainant was walking along Soy Street yesterday with her bag slung over her shoulder. Defendant approached from behind and snatched the bag. A chase began which proceeded through Yeung Ho Hang Street and Shamung Street, where a witness, Mok Yu-sang, saw what was happening and joined in. He succeeded in arresting defendant in Shamung Street, near Fa Yuen Street, and the bag was found in defendant's possession.

His Worship congratulated Mok Yu-sang, and in passing sentence on defendant, remarked that there appeared to be an epidemic of this sort of theft.

ANOTHER CASE

Remanded from yesterday, Tsang Shek, aged 27, unemployed, who was charged with stealing a handbag containing religious medals, a crucifix and a copper coin, from Mrs. Benjamin Lee, of No. 4 Lion Rock Road, on Sunday night, received sentence of two months' hard labour when he appeared before Mr. E. Himsforth at the Kowloon Magistracy this morning.

Defendant was remanded in order that complainant could give her evidence, for which a Spanish Interpreter was needed. Detective-Sergeant R. Ellis prosecuted.

hard labour by Mr. S. F. Balfour, at the Central Magistracy this morning. The opium was hidden under some metal fittings in a basket. Defendant was described as a professional smuggler, having shops in Macao and Hongkong.

CLAIM ON 'RAW SILK' SHIPMENT

(Continued from Page 1.)

then it would be end of the case. If the defendant had mentioned in the bills of lading which they issued that the goods were not shipped by a river steamer, the Bank would never have paid over the money.

Mr. Ross had stated that he had never heard of a case before where valuable cargoes were not shipped by river steamers, and both he and Mr. Swales said they would never have negotiated the bills unless they were satisfied the goods were carried down in this manner.

Counsel then went on to submit that the cargo was not carried down from Canton to Hongkong by a river steamer, and that the defendants had recklessly and carelessly mentioned in the bills of lading that the initial carrier was a river steamer.

NOT DELIBERATE FRAUD. "There is no allegation," continued Mr. Sheldon, "that the defendants deliberately stated anything which they knew to be untrue. The plaintiffs' allegation is simply this, that the defendants made out the bills of lading that the goods were shipped by the steamer without any knowledge and did not care whether this was in fact the case. If the jury find that the defendants had an honest belief that the goods were shipped by river steamer and not by junk, then that is the end of the case."

Mr. Potter remarked that he would like Mr. Sheldon to make it clear what was the actual charge against his clients.

After reading authorities in support of his clients' case, Mr. Sheldon said that the charge was "actual fraud."

BANK OFFICIAL CALLED

Mr. J. R. Swales, accountant of the Mercantile Bank, was then called. He said that on receiving the documents from Chang, he went to the Dollar Steamship Line to find out whether they were in order or not. He was told that they were signed by a Mr. Carpenter and were in order. He would never have paid the money if he knew that the initial carrier was a junk because, in this case, the goods would not have been under proper control.

In reply to Mr. Potter, witness said that silk invariably came down by river steamers. He had never known an exception to that.

Mr. Potter: That is going to be my case. It is not a question of "customary" but "invariably" that silk was shipped by river steamers, and there is no exception to that. You saw Mr. Arndt when you went to the Dollar Steamship Line?

Witness: Yes.

All you asked him was to verify the signature of Mr. Carpenter?—Yes, Mr. Arndt said it was the signature of Mr. Carpenter.

Did you ask him on what particular steamer was the silk shipped from Canton to Hongkong?—No.

If the Dollar Line had been informed by Chang of the name of the initial carrier, they would have inevitably put it in the bills of lading?—No.

If the defendants had issued a bill of lading from Hongkong to Bombay covering the cargo in question you would have paid that bill of lading at once?—No.

Mr. Ross said he would, why not you?—Because the letter of credit calls for shipment from Canton.

I put it to you that you were entirely wrong because that letter of credit does not require shipment from Canton?—No.

Did you ask Chang for the name of the river steamer?—No, because I didn't think of it.

You were looking for a loophole to avoid payment?—Yes.

And you missed the loophole by not asking?—No, because even if the name of the steamer was not mentioned it did not necessarily mean we would refuse the bill.

Witness added that the reason why he was looking for a loophole was that he learned that the China Overseas Inter-Trading Co. was not of good standing.

The evidence of Mr. Shroff, a junior partner of the plaintiff firm, Mr. Amnett, of Messrs. Griffliths and Co., of Canton, and Mr. J. B. Ross, which was taken on commission, was then read to the jury.

"The case is proceeding."

CONSTABLE FACES THREE CHARGES

THEFT OF JEWELLERY ALLEGED.

In connection with a case in which two men, Chan Chang, aged 27, and Wong Sang, aged 21, were charged before Mr. Macfarlane at the Kowloon Magistracy yesterday with the theft of a safe containing a quantity of money and jewellery, a third man was charged in respect of the same theft this morning. He was Chang Wen-yu, aged 26, police constable D. 255, of the Police Training School.

The charges against him were (a) larceny with another not in custody of a safe containing \$32, a pair of gold and ruyian bangles, two gold finger-rings, two pairs of gold earrings, and eight child's bangles, on June 6, at No. 460 Nathan Road, ground floor, the property of Tony Yuk-sing; (b) larceny of the same articles by public servant whereby the articles were entrusted to him by virtue of his employment; and (c) breach of discipline by a police officer in that he on June 6 neglected his duty by leaving his post without lawful authority.

Detective-Inspector A. H. Elston applied for a remand until Friday, June 12, which was granted. The other two men will appear on remand to-morrow.

The police have been notified that a Studebaker coupe, No. 440, was stolen from the car park at Status Square between 11 o'clock last night and 8.30 this morning.

KING TO HOLD LEVEE

ALSO TO VISIT PORTSMOUTH

London, June 8.

H.M. the King will drive in a State carriage, accompanied by a sovereign's escort of Household Cavalry, to-morrow morning from York House to Buckingham Palace, where His Majesty is holding a levee.

It is announced to-day that the King is visiting the establishments in the Portsmouth Naval Command. His Majesty will visit the naval barracks and afterwards the marines' barracks at Eastney, and will lunch with Admiral Sir John Kelly, Commander-in-Chief, at Admiralty House.

The King may also visit the Royal yacht Victoria and Albert, which has recently undergone her annual overhaul.—British Wireless.

WRONG DOG?

KOWLOON SUMMONS DISMISSED

A summons against B. D. Evans, of the first Observatory, of allowing his black Scotch terrier to bark in Chatham Road, near Cameron Road, 9.30 a.m., was heard before Mr. E. Himsforth at the Kowloon Magistracy this morning. Detective-Sergeant Davies appeared for the police.

In evidence, Detective B. D. 241 stated that he saw the dog unmuzzled in Chatham Road, Granville Road, Nathan Road towards the Observatory.

Mr. Evans denied the offence, and said the dog might have belonged to a neighbour living on the east side of the hill. His dog and that of the neighbour were exactly alike in appearance, and the constable might have mistaken them. He further submitted that the constable could not have kept the dog in sight over a distance of a quarter of a mile.

Defendant added that since his last appearance before his Worship he had given his servants instructions for the dog to be muzzled during daylight hours, but he could not say definitely whether the dog had a muzzle on or not on the day in question. Defendant was fairly confident that a muzzle had been put on the animal that day.

His Worship held that the evidence given by the constable was weak, and said that the only evidence was that the dog went up towards the Observatory. He therefore dismissed the summons.

RUNS ON FUEL OF OWN MAKING

UNIT OPERATES 24 HOURS A DAY

Operating on methane gas derived from a sewage disposal process which in turn is activated by the engine, the Ford V-8 motor has achieved something resembling perpetual motion. The engine is in regular daily use at the Greencastle, Indiana, sewage disposal plant.

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The engine has been in successful operation since March 1, 1935, using the methane gas exclusively as fuel. It runs 24 hours a day, seven days a week, at a speed of 1,500 revolutions per minute. Two regular Ford water pumps are used to pump the water nearly a quarter of a mile to the septic tank, through the coils and back to the motor. According to the engineer in charge, only minor repairs have been necessary during a year's operation and the engine is performing perfectly.

"There is no need at all for this spending of taxicab," remarked Traffic Inspector C. F. Alexander at the Central Magistracy this morning when Pau Shing-ting, driver of taxi No. 110, admitted a summons for driving without due care and caution on the Repulse Bay Road on May 2.

Traffic Sergeant M. Clark stated that Inspector Alexander, Sergeant Fryer and himself were on flying squad patrol. The defendant took a left hand bend absolutely on the wrong side of the road at a speed of between 35 and 40 miles an hour.

"We saw him through the trees before he approached the bend," he remarked. "If we had been at the corner, I dare say there would have been a collision."

Defendant, who had a previous conviction for speeding in 1933, was fined \$25.

For failing to report an accident, Ip Lo-lee, driver of car No. 1261, was fined \$15. Traffic Sergeant G. Yau stated that the car collided with car No. 2561 at the junction of Pottinger Street and Des Voeux Road, causing slight damage to both mudguards.

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE

MARKET UPWARD YESTERDAY

New York, June 8.

Swan, Culbertson & Fritz Dow Jones summary of yesterday's market.—The market to-day advanced as much as two points due to the easier French financial tension which resulted in the franc attaining a smart recovery to above the Gold point. Steel issues led the advance and other major groups followed.

Utility securities were strong and were relatively active. Railroad stocks improved, led by New York Central. Mercantiles rose on prospects of heavy Soldier Bonus buying. Electrical equipment and copper shares advanced on the outlook of increased utility company orders. Building issues gained on New York City reports that construction during May was 35 per cent. above that of May last year. In the bond market, domestic corporations were higher, but trading was on the light side. Stocks on the Curb Exchange were upward, led by utility issues.

Swan, Culbertson & Fritz Wall Street Journal comment on 6/8 market.—A survey shows that the used car situation throughout the United States is no worse than usual. The French situation is losing its effectiveness as a threat to the market. Financial circles would welcome the long-delayed French devaluation. Trade reports indicate well sustained activity this summer. Wall Street expects that Governor Landon will be nominated as the Republican candidate for the Presidency. Brokers say that there is no large volume of selling orders at above the market. Odds of 8 to 5 are offered on the re-election of President Roosevelt.

S. C. & F. New York office cables: Stocks: Securities were in better demand on improved news and prices look likely to move higher. General Motor Company's sales to consumers during May totalled 104,028 units, against 109,051 units in May last year. Montgomery Ward sales in May were 22 per cent. above those of last year. The Times Business Index for the past week is 101.2, against 99.4 the previous week.

Cotton: Improving statistical position and trade reports outweigh the East's drought, relief and forecast of more rain. It is reported that over 1,000,000 bales of Government cotton have been sold without disturbing the market. Sales of print-cloth during the week are reported to have totalled 125 per cent. of production.

Wheat: With the North-West drought relieved and forecast of more rain, an excellent winter crop and hedging, the outlook is bearish. The Canadian visible supply shows a decrease of 5,340,000 bushels, whilst the visible supply in the United States has decreased by 2,000,000 bushels. The visible supply of corn shows an increase of 255,000 bushels.

Rubber: The market advanced on high May consumption estimates, the steadiness of the primary markets and the easing tension in France. The English stocks of rubber have decreased by 1,000 tons.

Hides: It is reported that 100,000 hides will be offered by the Government on June 17th.

REUTER QUOTATIONS

—Dow Jones Averages: June 6. June 8.

30 Industrials 149.04 151.39
20 Rails 45.40 45.75
20 Utilities 30.00 31.32
40 Bonds 102.29 102.31
11 Commodity Index 56.61 57.19

Avalanche Kills Injured Woman

SWEPT AWAY AFTER FALL INTO CHASM

While lying injured at the bottom of an alpine chasm, a woman has been swept to death by an avalanche. M. George Couette, the well-known guide, was crossing the Aiguille du Midi, Mont Blanc, when he saw a party composed of two women, Meda Kossakowski and Illotha Habrecht, both of Danzig, with a guide, entering a crevasse below him. One of the women, Mlle. Kossakowski, slipped and fell 450 feet into a chasm.

M. Couette ran to the spot and heard faint cries from the depths. Before he could fetch help, an avalanche swept down the mountain, through the crevasse, and carried away the injured woman. The body

of the woman was found by the guide, but it was too late to do anything for her.

The new building of the St. Louis Industrial School not being completed, the Salesian Fathers wish to notify friends of St. Anthony's Church and the general public that this year their patron saint's day has been postponed for a few months until the time when the new chapel will be inaugurated.

The usual fortnightly Whist Drive and Tombola at Kowloon Dock will be held on Wednesday, June 10, (instead of Tuesday, 9th), and on every alternate Wednesday thereafter. Admission, fifty cents. All are welcome.

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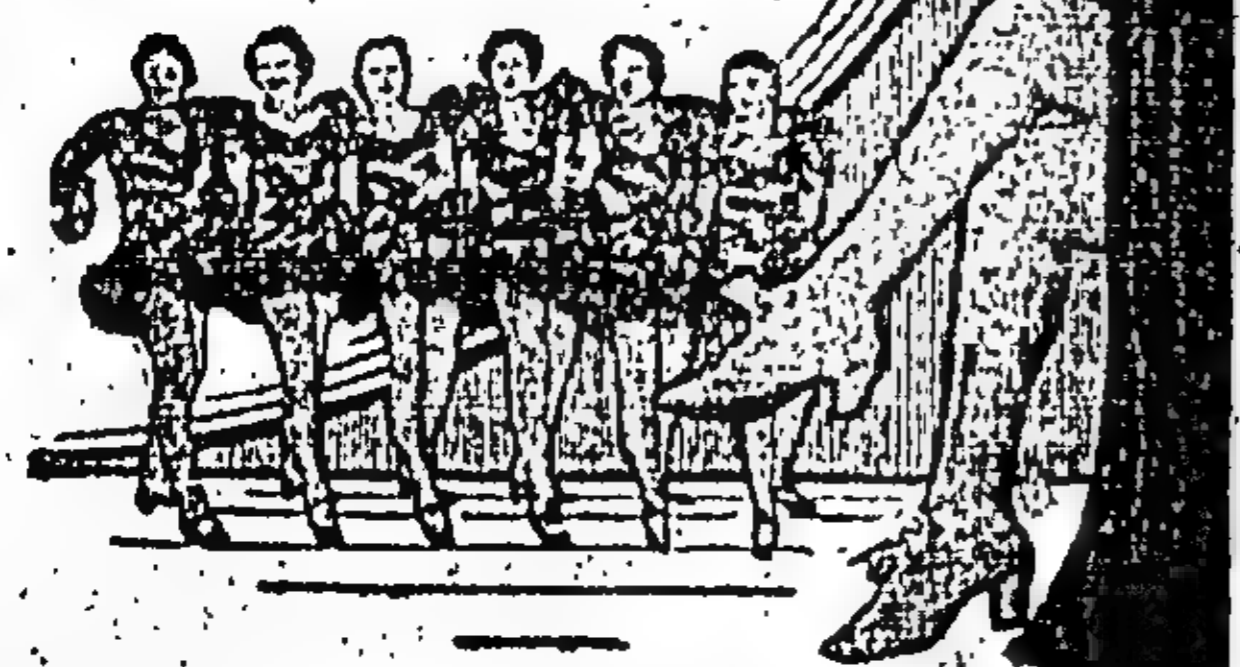
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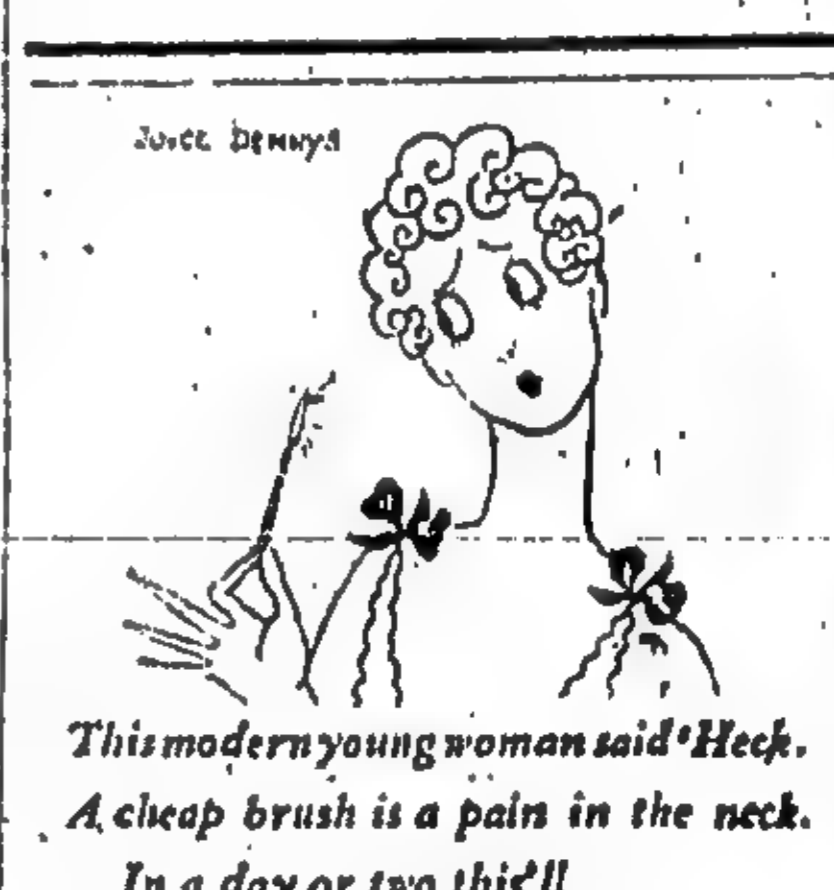
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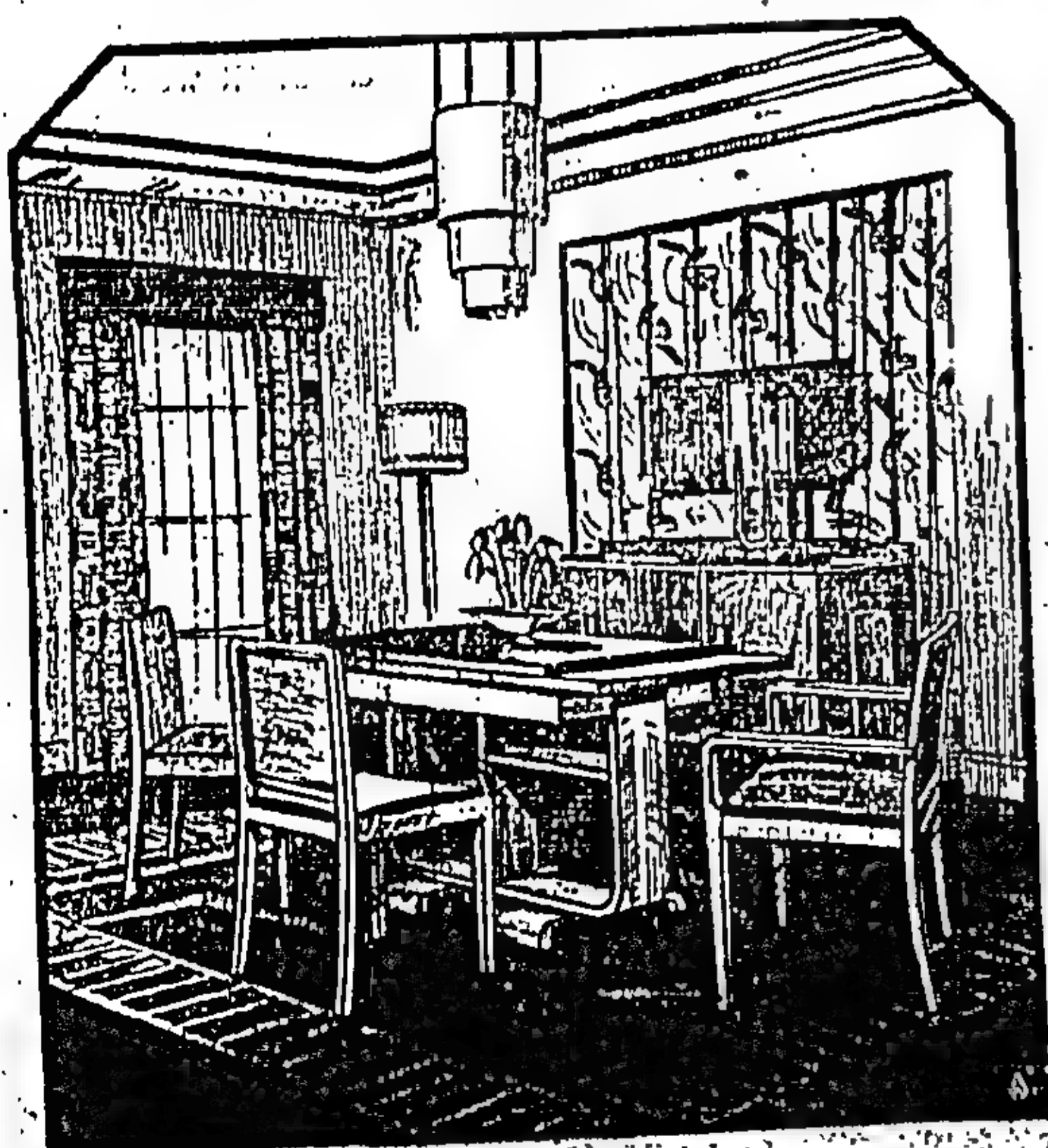
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MEDITERRANEAN SAFEGUARDS

There is considerable signifi-
cance in the report that Britain
is considering the transfer of
her naval base in the Mediter-
ranean from Malta to Cyprus, it
being held in some quarters that
Malta is now out-of-date and no
longer safeguards the Mediter-
ranean. Cyprus, on the other
hand, is considered to be better
situated to protect the Suez
Canal entrance, and, moreover,
possesses facilities for all types
of aircraft. Without doubt, one
of the reasons which caused the
failure of the League in Ethio-
pia was Britain's tardy recogni-
tion that her control of the
Mediterranean had been dras-
tically weakened by the develop-
ment of the aeroplane and new
naval weapons which rendered
naval bases, especially Malta, of
little use. A well-known Ameri-
can journal, commenting on the
failure to make sanctions against
Italy really effective, asks whether
it was more fear of injury
by Italy or fear of upsetting a
delicate balance of power in
Europe either by throwing Mus-
solini into Hitler's arms or by
breaking Italy's power to stand
against Germany in Austria.
The latter fear was manifestly
dominant in France if not in
England. It lay behind the
Hoare-Laval plan. And from
the beginning it lay behind the
reluctance to apply measures
which would have really stopped
Italy. It probably accounts for
the failure to close the Suez
Canal which would have cut
Mussolini's power in two. It
was plainly the reason for ap-
plying only those sanctions
which would still permit Italy
to fight. Whether the sanctions
which were applied were weak-
ening Italy so that she could not
have carried on a second year's
campaign is a question Haile
Selassie's flight makes academic.
Apparently, says the authority
quoted, the League powers were
counting too much on Abyssinian
weather and geography. And
Geneva was defeated far more
definitely when it refused to

Will France Follow Spain On Bloody Path Of Terror?

POLITICAL assassination, arson
and pillage have been the first-
fruits of the triumph in Spain of the
Popular Front or Communist Bloc.

Everybody here in Paris to-day
is asking whether France is doomed
to travel by the same bloodstained
path and whether here, too, the sum-
mer skies are to be illumined by the
flames from burning buildings.

In France, the birthplace of revolutions, the
elections which have just taken place have given
an absolute majority, not only of seats but of
votes throughout the country, to the French
Popular Front, which, like its namesake in
Spain, is composed of Communists, Socialists and
Radicals.

There are those who are saying, "The dis-
orders may be occurring in Spain, but such ex-
cesses are impossible in France."

They have overlooked the atro-
cious massacres of September
1793 when the Paris mob murder-
ed innocent prisoners and when
the streets of Paris ran red with
blood. They have forgotten that
one year later within the space of
five weeks 1,367 men and women,
most of them innocent of any po-
litical crime—men and women of
the highest character and unblem-
ished life—were guillotined on
the Place de la Concorde.

apply the oil sanction than when
Addis Ababa collapsed. When
other sanctions would have been
any more successful had the
United States, Germany and
Japan been in the League is very
doubtful. The dependence of
France on Italy—clearly re-
vealed in the anomalous ap-
peal to Rome to join in
pressure against Germany over
the Rhineland—was such that
they apparently could not
tolerate successful sanctions
against Italy. The sanctions
they did apply only irritated the
Italian people and helped to
make Mussolini's African adven-
ture a national crusade against
the League. What then does
this experience mean? Mani-
festly sanctions failed to stop
Mussolini. Or rather the nations
failed to apply effective sanc-
tions, dared not drive economic
pressure to the point of military
sanctions. Clearly peace could
not in this case be enforced with-
out the use of force. Can it
under different circumstances?
Probably not against any great
power. Certainly statesmen,
charged with responsibility for
immediate action, are not likely
to put much faith in sanctions
until the nations have recogniz-
ed more clearly that the risks of
anarchy are greater than the
risks of collective security. The
next step for statesmen, who
must deal with things as they
appear to be, not as they would
like them to be, will be some less
pretentious method than Article
16—continued development of
the Geneva forum as a means of
showing up the essence of inter-
national disputes and adjusting
them; working through active
application of Article 19 for the
removal of injustices that cause
war; or possibly general at-
tempts to prevent rather than
penalize war by putting embar-
goes on all belligerents. For
others the next step might well
be an undiscouraged effort to
understand the true nature of
peace and the peaceful thinking
which is the surest peacemaking.

CIVIL STRIFE

FRANCE has even in more recent
times of political stress been
the scene of crimes worse than
those which have been committed
in Spain. In the Commune of
1871 churches were burned down
and hostages were taken out and
shot.

Nobody, therefore, can say that
in a fresh fever of political agita-
tion, when party opposes party,
similar crimes may not be repeat-
ed.

But it is from the Communists,
who are now for the first time in
history 83-strong in the French
Chamber, that such violence can
be feared.

The Socialists and the Radicals,
with a moderate programme,
strictly within the law, may per-
haps be allowed to hold the stage
at first. And yet the Communists
are already chafing at such res-
traint, and one of their more vi-
lent leaders, not a worker but a
writer, M. Vaillant-Couturier, is
clamouring for immediate action
and for the Popular Front to take
office at once, whether such ac-
tion would desert to the Commu-
nist ranks.



By
Harold G.
Cardozo,

And so the history of a possible
French crisis can be imagined in
advance. The Socialists and Ra-
dicals will try to carry out the
great houses on the Avenue Foch
might be the scene of murder,
arson and pillage, and once more
unburied dead might lie in the
streets of Paris while Communist
gangs from the Red suburbs armed
with machine-guns and explosives
wreaked their will.

LACK of bread has always been
a cry in Paris which has
raised barricades in the streets,
cited than they were in the days
of past revolutions. There is a
link between the ex-Servicemen,
few of whom are revolutionaries
and the majority of whom are
united in the intention to fight if
Bolshevism should ever show its
head in France.

History would repeat itself, and
the little band of Communists, the
"Montagnards" of the Reign of
Terror, would become supreme in
a Rump Parliament. Then there
would come the reign of the guillo-
tine, and of the torturers, men of
the bloodthirsty stamp of Couthon
and Fouquier-Tillville.

The day might come when Notre
Dame would be sacked and its
priceless treasures disappear.
Churches like La Trinite and St.
Vincent de Paul might crash in a
turmoil of smoke and flames. The
great houses on the Avenue Foch
might be the scene of murder,
arson and pillage, and once more
unburied dead might lie in the
streets of Paris while Communist
gangs from the Red suburbs armed
with machine-guns and explosives
wreaked their will.

There is another side to the pic-
ture. The French are more edu-
cated than they were in the days
of past revolutions. There is a
link between the ex-Servicemen,
few of whom are revolutionaries
and the majority of whom are
united in the intention to fight if
Bolshevism should ever show its
head in France.

There is, moreover, the fear that
such civil strife might be fatal to
the political independence of the
country. It is known that a
powerful and united nation lies on
the other side of the Rhine—a
nation which is pledged to sup-
press Communism, and which
would not sit idle if the flames of
civil war were to spread along its
very borders.

Such organisations as Colonel
de la Rocque's Croix de Feu, which
now numbers nearly 2,000,000 dis-
ciplined and enthusiastic ad-
herents, would not accept red re-
volution and the suppression of
constitutional legality without
joining issue with its bitterest
opponents, the Communists. There
is the French Army, whose corps
of officers, though not taking an
active part in politics, would not
countenance the violent overthrow
of the present Republican regime.

PLAYING WITH FIRE

FINALLY, there is that extra-
ordinary elasticity and power
of recovery of the French nation.
There are many, indeed, who say
that although nobody knows his
name, a "man who can save
France" may be just awaiting his
time.

Nobody can be sure of what the
next few months may bring forth
—whether they will mean revolu-
tion or recovery. But to live
dangerously and then to expect
some fresh and miraculous return
to stability is simply playing with
fire.

SIDE GLANCES By George Clark



"Somehow, I got a laugh out of the doc's suggestion. He
said a trip out to the Grand Canyon would be the best
thing for me."

L.G.'s "End War and Poverty" Appeal

RULES FOR H. K. BEACHES

NO MULES OR GOATS CAN BATHE

The constantly increasing demand for bathing facilities in the Colony has made it necessary for the Government to decide on control measures at the various beaches.

Accordingly, under the terms of the Pleasure Grounds and Bathing Places Regulation Ordinance, shortly to be introduced in the Legislative Council, detailed rules are being laid down. These cover numerous points, including the conditions under which tents and awnings may be erected, and surf-boards used.

The proposed regulations, in full, are as follows:

At every bathing place—Vehicles (except perambulators) are prohibited on the beach; and Dogs (except on a lead), cattle, horses, mules, goats, and similar animals are prohibited upon the beach and in the water over or near the beach, and no person shall do or cause to be done any act in contravention of any prohibition contained in either paragraph of this regulation.

TENTS AND AWNINGS

No person shall maintain for hire any tent, awning, screen or similar structure on the beach at any bathing place at which bathing sheds are maintained on areas held under permits issued by the Director of Public Works or the appropriate District Officer.

No person shall maintain for hire any tent, awning or similar structure on the beach at any other place without the written permission, in Hong Kong, Kowloon or New Kowloon, of the Director of Public Works or the appropriate District Officer. The fee payable for any such written permission, which shall be valid for one year and which shall be subject to any condition which the Director of Public Works or the appropriate District Officer may deem fit to impose, shall be \$10.

Tents, awnings or similar structures, in private ownership and not intended to be let for hire, may be erected and maintained without permit for periods not exceeding twelve hours in any one day on the beach at any bathing place at which no bathing sheds are maintained on areas held under permits issued by the Director of Public Works or the appropriate District Officer.

HAWKING AND RUBBISH

No person shall hawk any goods, wares, merchandise, or any food, at any bathing place without the permission of the Urban Council or of the appropriate District Officer.

St. Joseph With a Waistcoat

Picture That May Cause A Storm

A PAINTING which may arouse controversy in religious circles hangs on a wall of St. Augustine's Church, Chorlton-on-Medlock, Manchester, to which it has been presented by Mr. Louis Duffy, a young Manchester artist.

It shows saints in modern dress at the burial of Christ. Joseph is in shirt sleeves and wears a waistcoat. A woman kneeling by the figure of Christ has a shawl over her head. Mary and Nicodemus, however, are in flowing robes.

"I had no intention of merely painting a 'different' picture," Mr. Duffy told the *Sunday Dispatch*. "In every serious religious picture that has ever been painted the artist has used the dress of his own time for his characters."

Effective Message

"I firmly believe that I, or any other artist, can convey a message far more effectively through the colour and design of modern dress than by trying to recapture the traditional costume."

"Some people will fail to find any message in my painting when they see the dress of their own time, but on the other hand a great many have told me that they agree with me."

PEOPLE TRICKED AT ELECTION

Cabinet Pretended They Agreed With Council Of Action Policy

"WE are making a great human appeal to the electorate of this country on issues on the solution of which will depend the progress and happiness of the human race."

That was Mr. Lloyd George's opening declaration at a conference at Central Hall, Westminster, of chairmen and officers of area committees of the Council of Action for Peace and Reconstruction.

"One of these issues," continued Mr. Lloyd George, "is the abolition of human sacrifice as a means of protection against the forces of evil that divide nations."

TWO GREAT ISSUES

"This is the worst and the most cruel relic of a savage world which unhappily survives in the form of war, and upon a more tremendous scale than was ever contemplated in the imagination of our forefathers."

"In the last war ten millions were slaughtered on the altar of this ferocious superstition."

The abolition of that was one of the great issues upon which they were concentrating.

His second thought was the imperative need of the reorganisation of the ample resources of society, in such a way as to ensure a square deal in life for all human beings who conformed to the just rules of a civilised community.

"The distressed areas," he said, "have been with us so long that we are now taking them for granted, but the bleak wastes of this country are not confined to districts which are scheduled as distressed."

"You will find them in hundreds of cities, towns and villages which are not on the list."

"As long as 20 millions of our fellow-citizens are declared by high scientific authorities to be habitually under-nourished, no one can claim that we have approached the attainment of what is due from a Christian State to its citizens."

"We are non-party, men and women of all parties—and a great many of us not knowing exactly what party. (Laughter.)"

"But we have felt that while there are several parties, there are only two alternative policies; one is the policy of human brotherhood and the other the policy of inhuman selfishness and indifference."

WHY THEY FAILED AT GENERAL ELECTION

"These were the issues we stood to raise in the last election. We raised them in definite form in their bearings on current events."

"Why did we not succeed in impressing them on the electorate?"

"Largely because they were obscured, not by conditions, but by the apparent adhesion on the part of all parties who were running candidates, and not mere adhesion, but so far as words were concerned."

"Take the talk of peace, veneration for the Covenant, the zeal for collective action and the need for improving the conditions of the down-trodden masses who lived in the black areas."

"All that was copied in every utterance and speech, not merely by every candidate but by the leading spokesmen of the Government, whose was the responsibility and the authority for dealing with these things."

"PRETENDED THEY WERE ON OUR SIDE"

"Hundreds of thousands of men and women honestly believed in the sincerity of these professions and voted accordingly."

"That is what happened at the last election. We were beaten not by argument but by assent. It never happened before and it is a very menacing phenomenon."

"We lost our case at the last election because they fraudulently pretended they were on our side."

"We know the result, only too well. Disillusionment is now universal in capturing the girl, who must not be given in marriage to another on pain of death. They then succeeded in making their escape in the darkness and have not yet been found by the police."

Albanian Love Tragedy

ATTEMPT TO ABDUCT GIRL

An Albanian love affair led to a terrible tragedy in which three lives were lost last month in Petch (Ipek), near the Albanian frontier of Yugoslavia.

An Albanian called Abdullah Braimovich had planned to emigrate to Albania, taking with him all his family. His sister, Zaida, was also to accompany him, because Sa-Id, Suljic, a youth from a neighbouring village, to whom she had been betrothed, was too poor to pay the bride price.

A farewell feast, at which all his relations and friends were invited, was held at Abdullah's house on the night prior to their intended departure.

When the last visitors had departed, Sa-Id, who had been waiting in ambush with four armed companions, entered the house and attempted to abduct Zaida. Before he could carry her off her small sister gave the alarm. Her brother-in-law, Tsena, rushing to protect her, was immediately shot dead by Sa-Id. Abdullah then appeared, and a terrible fight ensued between the two, in which each killed the other.

A poignant and characteristically Albanian episode was that the four companions then carried off the weeping Zaida to the house of Sa-Id's parents, some miles away. They announced that Sa-Id was dead, but that they had fulfilled their duty in capturing the girl, who must not be given in marriage to another on pain of death. They then succeeded in making their escape in the darkness and have not yet been found by the police.

Empire Air Base

PORTSMOUTH CHOSEN AS BEST SITE

Flying-boats of Imperial Airways may start operating from an Empire air base at Langstone Harbour, Portsmouth, before the end of the year.

Both the Air Ministry and Imperial Airways, Councillor A. Johnson, Chairman of the Portsmouth Docks and Airport Committee states, have decided that Langstone Harbour offers better facilities as a base than any other place. A satisfactory scheme for an engineering point of view has been worked out, and the only question of importance outstanding is that of Government financial assistance.



Mr. Lloyd George emphasises point during his speech

noble qualities will be once more roused among democratic nations.

"It is impossible to stir them up now in and for peace and social reconstruction? That is our purpose. IF COUNCIL IS TO SUCCEED."

"If our organisation is to succeed at all it will be by helping to give the right answer to this question which I put."

"If the Churches are united in their determination to put these things right without deference to powerful interests, with the influence they wield both outside as well as inside the churches, and also without reference to party prejudices and predilections, all these wrongs and miseries would be swept away in a decade."

In a discussion Mr. P. Hopkins (Western area) foreboded the possibility of a great popular front in the cause of peace.

The conference, at which others spoke in the same strain, sat in private later to discuss details of organisation.

DAY BY DAY NEWS IN BRIEF

HAPPINESS IS A ROADSIDE FLOWER GROWING ON THE HIGHWAYS OF USEFULNESS.—*Thupper*.

A student of St. Stephen's Girls' College was robbed last night of her handbag, containing \$200. According to a police report, the victim was unable to identify the thief.

On the application of Sergt. G. Shevopliass, Mr. Balfour at the Central Magistracy this morning granted a warrant for the confinement of 240 lbs. of sugar found on board the steamer Sektan without an apparent owner and unmanifested.

For keeping a brothel on the second floor of 6 Tan Woo Lane, a widow, Luk Fook-cho, 35, was fined \$30, or, in default, three weeks' imprisonment by Mr. Balfour at the Central Magistracy this morning. On a similar charge relating to the first floor of 108 Wellington Street, Chan Sam, 33, was absent and her bail of \$30 was forfeited. Sub-Inspector T. K. Whelan prosecuted.

Three unemployed men who pleaded guilty before Mr. S. F. Balfour, at the Central Magistracy this morning, to having returned from banishment before the expiration of their terms were sentenced to varying terms of imprisonment. Chia Yat, 21, was sentenced to twelve months' hard labour and Ng Sau-lam, aged 22 years, and Li Hung-ai Li On 22 years, were each sentenced to nine months' hard labour. They were arrested in the Central district.

Hau Kam-oi, 47 years, married woman, residing at Nos. 167-169 Queen's Road West, second floor, appeared before Mr. W. Schofield, at the Central Magistracy this morning, charged on three counts of keeping three unregistered motor-cars, Li Ki, aged 10 years; Lau Ming, aged nine years, and Cheung Kwai-lan, aged 14 years. Mr. F. I. Zimmerman appeared on behalf of defendant and asked for a week's formal remand, which was granted. Defendant was allowed bail of \$500.

Cheung Wah, 20, unemployed, and a juvenile appeared before Mr. Balfour at the Central Magistracy this morning charged with attempting to travel on the Yau-mat-ferry launch "Man Tak" without paying their fares. The juveniles pleaded that he did not have enough money. Ticket Inspector Black stated that just as the vessel was about to leave they jumped from the wharf to the ferry. This was a common practice, especially with young newspaper hawkers. The accused were remanded until tomorrow for enquiries. The youth is to appear in the Juvenile Court. Cheung Wah was remanded in custody.

RADIO BROADCAST

Selections by The Harmony Boys

RECITAL BY ANNE WINTER

From Z.B.W. on a wavelength of 355 metres (845-kilocycles):

4.7 p.m. Chinese Programme.
7 p.m. A Relay from Davenport.

"Monologue in Melody". John Ridley in syncopated pianoforte music.

7.15 p.m. The London Novelty Orchestra.

The Midnight Waltz (Amodio); Neapolitan Nights (Zamecnik); Dream of Autumn (Joyce); Choristers' Waltz (Phelps).

7.30 p.m. From the Studio.
Selections by "The Harmony Boys".

8 p.m. Time, Weather, Stock Quotations and announcements.

8.05 p.m. Russian Melodies.
Pas L'Esperance Waltz; Down the Mother Volga; Prelude Slav; From Sunrise to Sunset; Beautiful Moon; Along Petrograd Road; Bake no Bread.

8.15 p.m. From the Studio.

The 2nd of a series of talks on Gilbert and Sullivan Operas. No. 2, "The First Triumph". M.S. Pinafore by the Rev. T. F. Ryan.

8.45 p.m. Primo Scala's Accordeon Band.

Waltzes round the World; Song of the Lift; Old Ship O' Mine.

9 p.m. Davenport News Bulletin and Announcements.

9.20 p.m. Cinema Organ Medley.

Broadway Melody of 1935—Selection; Curley Top—Selection; Indian Love Call—"Rose Marie".
9.30 p.m. From the Studio.
A Recital by Anne Winter (Soprano) accompanied by Luba Shafstain.

9.45 p.m. Song Memories.
Drinks All Round; Medley of Leslie Stuart's Songs; Vocal Gems—Harry Lander.

10 p.m. A Relay from Davenport.
Big Ben Talk: "Imperial Affairs" by H. W. Hodson.

10.17 p.m. Dance Music.

11 p.m. Close Down.

DEFENCE MINISTER'S VISIT

London, June 8.

Mr. Oswald Pirow, South African Defence Minister, who arrived in London to-day, was among the Prime Minister's visitors at 10 Downing Street this afternoon.—*British Wire- less*.

The loss of \$319 in money and \$6 worth of stamps from the Grand Dispensary, China Building, has been reported to the police. The theft occurred between 10 p.m. on Sunday and 8.30 yesterday morning.

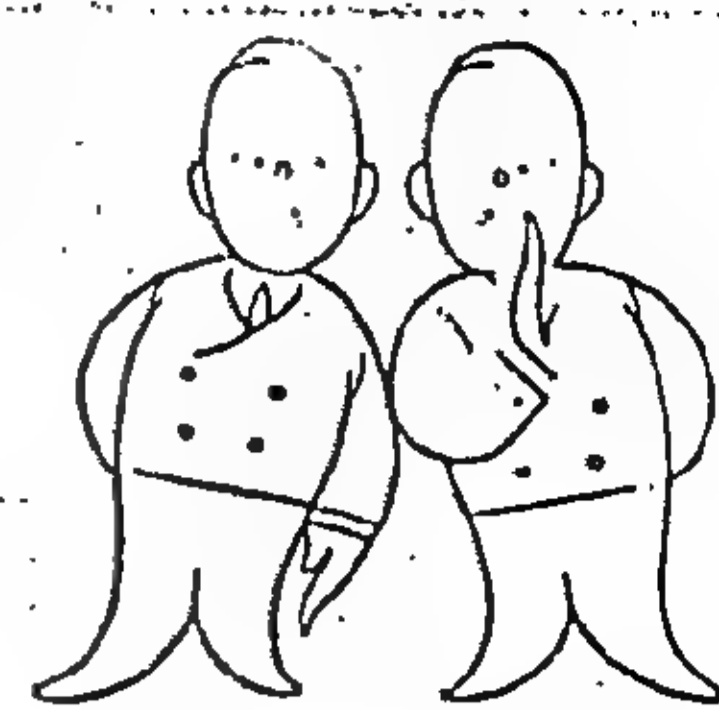
Pun Yuen, 21, unemployed, who stole an opium pipe from 564 Queen's Road West, was bound over when he pleaded guilty before Mr. Balfour at the Central Magistracy this morning. Det-Sergt. D. Mann stated that at 10 p.m. on June 7 the defendant went to the complainant's house and asked for some opium and was refused. When the latter's back was turned he stole an opium pipe from the bed.

Appearing on remand before Mr. S. F. Balfour, at the Central Magistracy this morning, Ng Fal-lan, 21, a clerk formerly employed at the Franklin Laboratory, was sentenced to six weeks' hard labour on a charge of embezzlement of \$100 from his employers. Defendant was remanded from last week to find a surety, but was unable to do so. The complainant was Mr. Glen Allen, Detective Sergeant, Mann prosecuted.

Appearing on remand before Mr. Macfadyen at the Kowloon Magistracy this morning, Lai Yuen, who was banished for a period of five years on February 14 this year, was sentenced to four months' imprisonment. His Worship remarked that he was imposing a light sentence on defendant because of his state of health. Defendant was warned that if he returned again, his case may be taken for commitment the next time.

"There have been quite a number of these thefts recently," stated Det-Sergt. Guild at the Central Police Court this morning when Lai Chuen, 29, and Li Choi, 27, both unemployed, pleaded guilty before Mr. Balfour to stealing two pots of palms from a flat in May Road. First defendant was arrested in Pottinger Street near Wellington Street carrying the plants and took the detectives to find the second defendant. The plants had apparently been torn from the pots. Two weeks' hard labour each was imposed.

Li Cher, aged 30, unemployed, appeared before Mr. Macfadyen at the Kowloon Magistracy this morning charged with unlawful possession of two cattle of wolfram suspected of having been obtained from Shatin. Detective-Sergeant Forrest stated that defendant told the police that he had obtained the ore from No. 2 Hill, Tsau Wan. The prosecuting officer added that the mines were at present not being worked. Defendant was bound over in the sum of \$30 for a period of one year. The wolfram was ordered to be confiscated.



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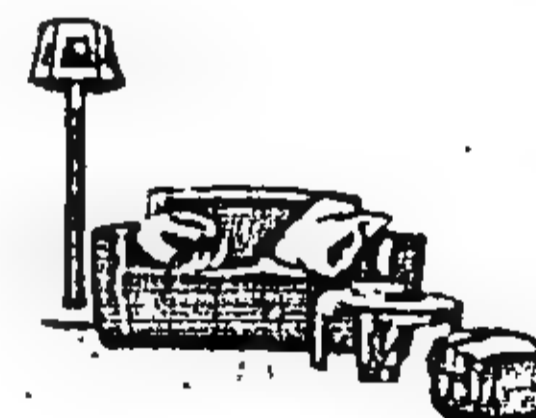
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WATER LEVELS STATE OF RIVERS IN KWANGTUNG

The following returns have been issued by the River Conservancy Commission for Kwangtung Province, showing the water levels in English feet at the places of observation named:

Help Kidneys

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Your kidneys have nine million tiny tubes or filters which are endangered by wetfoot or directly irritating drugs. Beware! If kidneys trouble or urinary weakness makes you suffer from: Getting Up at Night; Leg Pains; Nervousness, Dizziness, Blurred Vision, Headaches, Neuritis, Burning, Itching, Smarting, Acidity, Loss of Vigour, don't delay. Try the Doctor's new discovery called Oxydol (Santalol). It cleans, soothes, cleanses and builds sick kidneys. Starts work in 15 minutes. Brings new health, youth and vitality in 48 hours. Oxydol's taste is pleasant and is guaranteed to end your troubles in 8 days or money back. At all chemists.

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GOOD AVERAGES DESPITE DIFFICULT SEASON

Absence Of Bowlers Chief Trouble At H.K.C.C.

OWEN HUGHES HEADS BATTING AVERAGE

(By R. Abbit)

In the last few days I have received two sets of figures, one from the Hongkong Cricket Club, and one from the Central British School. And I am much obliged to my contributors. It is interesting to get them practically together as it is to be hoped that the lack of good recruits disclosed in the Club's figures may be offset by the fact that the school figures show that, locally at all events, we have a few useful youngsters coming along. Whether or no they will be saved to the game and pass on into the ranks of our various Club sides remains to be seen.

The Club have had a most difficult season and I do not propose to enumerate all the players they have lost since the season started. Suffice it to say that very nearly a full team could be made up of those who have gone, and one quite capable of holding its own in the League, especially in bowling.

The Club has been so strong that this steady exodus of players has not reduced them to a badly positioned team in the League. They did not complete their programme I think, (I write this without any records and I am being a little over-cautious) but they played at least one match when they were at full strength and lost it in declaring to try and force a win. But even as the figures stand they are fourth and might have been third, had there been time to finish their programme.

The great trouble of the Club at present is lack of new players. If the nine names shown in the batting averages of the first eleven be examined, it will be seen that practically all are old hands. It is particularly surprising in these difficult times few firms are bringing out youngsters from England. And it must be confessed that, owing to doubt to the encouragement of tennis and even golf (horrible diabolical) at our Public Schools, fewer of the younger generation play the game. But there is no doubt that it does make things difficult.

ABOUT THE SENIORS

For the first eleven, Owen Hughes did not return to the Colony until the season had been under way for about a couple of months, but he lost no time in finding his firm, and for a few days at the end of the season he would have had much better figures. T. A. Pearce was somewhat disappointing with the bat, but for him, of course, and he failed to get going for a long time. The sort of cricket that is or was until last season, thought to be necessary in the exalted circles in which he played, does not work too well on a pitch that may always be expected to do the unexpected.

E. R. Duckitt as usual has proved a sterling value and from personal observation I can vouch that he has definitely played much fruer cricket than before, scoring at an excellent pace on occasions. His defence was never in doubt.

T. B. Pearce has played more regularly than has been the case for a season or two, and he has done very

C.B.S. CRICKET

Analysis By R. Abbit To-morrow

To have won 18 out of 21 cricket matches in one season is a record worthy of any team. It was won by Central British School last season and R. Abbit will point out in his interesting analysis of the C.B.S. cricket achievements of 1935-36 which appears in to-morrow's Telegraph. Figures reveal that the C.B.S. have at least two young cricketers of promise and that the school has one of the best teams in Hongkong at the present time.

well indeed as he had an average of just over twenty for sixteen innings, with only one not out to help him. He definitely played his way into the Interport side, and I imagine it is somewhat of a record to have a father and a son in the same Interport side. Tom Hayward's figures are in no way an indication of his form, as he has never let any consideration about chucking away his wicket prevent him from playing for the needs of his side and most of the knocks he has played have been of the "get four or get out" type.

MATCH-WINNING BAT

The scores are worked out over all matches, of course, and no separate League figures are given. Of those who played less than the ten innings necessary to qualify, R. D. Gillespie is definitely one of the best match-winning bats in the Colony and his straight driving is a joy to watch, unless you happen to be the bowler. Growder, a visitor from Australia who stayed long enough and played well enough to make us wish more cricketers of his type would come up and see to some time, got plenty of runs (and even more wickets) and it seemed to me that his style bore a family resemblance to that of Ivor McInnis who played one or two very nice knocks.

Dunkley, it is true, was not out seven times out of thirteen knocks but I stick to my opinion that if he

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Prachub (hitting the ball) and Sanoh, Siam doubles champions, who have not yet been defeated in a match in Hongkong. Yesterday they won at the R.C.C. On Sunday they beat Bodiker and Fincher and on Saturday the Tsui brothers. (Photo: Mac Cheung.)

DAVIS CUP SENSATION FRANCE LOSES

JUGOSLAVIA'S RECOVERY

Paris, June 8. French tennis to-day received its biggest set-back since Perry and Austin took the Davis Cup away from Paris in 1933. After leading Jugoslavia by two matches to one, France lost the remaining two singles and was eliminated from the current Davis Cup competition.

There was a palpitating finish. Pallada defeated Destrebecq in four sets to make the teams two-all and in the concluding match France, after losing the first and third sets, beat Housens by three sets to two. It was a terrific struggle of 45 games, but the Frenchman cracked in the fifth set which he lost at 6-1.

The complete scores as sent by Reuter were: Pallada (Jugoslavia) beat Housens 6-2, 2-6, 6-3, 6-2; Destrebecq (France) beat Puncce 3-6, 6-2, 7-5, 6-6, 9-7; Borotra and Bernard (France) beat Kukuljevic and Mibe 8-6, 7-5, 1-6, 3-6, 6-2; Pallada beat Destrebecq 6-1, 1-6, 8-6, 6-1; Puncce beat Housens 3-6, 6-1, 1-6, 7-5, 6-1. Jugoslavia now meets Austria in the semi-final of the European Zone, the winners contesting either Germany or Ireland.

BADMINTON AT THE K.C.C.

The meeting of members of the Kowloon Cricket Club, which was reported last week was contemplated, to discuss the resuscitation of badminton at the club, will not, we are now given to understand, take place.

STILL HOLDING THEIR OWN

Siamese Tennis Players Share Honours

The Siamese tennis players now on a visit to Hongkong have still to be beaten by local talent. Yesterday they held their own against the Indian Recreation Club, Sanoh and Prachub, their champion pair beating H. D. Rumlajn and A. H. Madar, while Muang and Ranong lost to S. A. Rumlajn and M. O. Hosen.

Subsequently Muang demonstrated that he is a fine singles player by taking a set from S. A. Rumlajn and leading him 3-1 in the second stanza. Yesterday's conditions were anything but ideal. Rain fell intermittently during the first two sets and the light was very difficult. Sanoh and Prachub did very well to beat H. D. Rumlajn and Madar 6-3, 4-6, 6-3, but S. A. Rumlajn and Hosen had rather a walk-over against Muang and Ranong, winning 6-2, 6-1.

Muang played fast and clever tennis to beat Sirdar Rumlajn 9-7 and lead 3-1 in a singles contest. Both players had a hard time securing a foot-hold on the slippery turf and falls were frequent. Muang's decisive volleying and almost unflinching overhead gave him just the necessary edge over Rumlajn who was pegged back more than usual to the baseline.

Arrangements for the public exhibitions on Thursday and Friday have been completed. On Thursday S. A. Rumlajn will play in a singles while the Tsui brothers will figure in a doubles. On Friday the Rumlajns cousins will play for the Colony side at doubles and Tsui Wai-pui at singles.

Admission to the H.K.C.C. on both days will be fifty cents.

This afternoon the Siamese will endeavour to maintain their unbeaten record when they are entertained by Club de Reccelo.

Golfing Visit To England

U.S. TEAM TO GO ON TOUR

New York, June 1. A special delegation of golfers, from the New York Athletic Club, will visit England this summer after the Olympic Games, and will play the largest of parties going to England for the Winged Foot, monthly publication of the New York Athletic Club.

The Athletic Club is sending a party of sports enthusiasts to Berlin to see the Olympic Games, and reservations so far cause those handling the tour to believe that the club's party will be the largest of any party going to Berlin from this country, on tours arranged by various organisations.

The club's Golf Committee, in charge of the tour, is negotiating with British officials regarding the golfing visit to England. The entire party will sail from New York in the Ile de France on July 23.

LAWN BOWLS FIVE MORE MATCHES DECIDED

CHAMPIONSHIP PROGRESS

Re-Arranged Ties

Four of the six outstanding first round matches in the lawn bowls pairs championship of the Colony were decided yesterday, the other two being abandoned owing to rain. Two Club de Reccelo pairs were eliminated, but J. L. Silva and H. A. Alves had an easy passage into the next stage. The results follow.

PAIRS CHAMPIONSHIP

A. E. Coates and J. Cavanagh beat J. M. Alves and J. J. Bato 31-11; T. Coleman and G. N. Mitchell beat D.C.S. Alves and F.V.V. Ribeiro 23-21; J. L. Silva and H. A. Alves beat F. M. el Arculli and A. Bakar 30-11; W. L. Walker and H. H. Rose beat F. Cheeseman and J. G. Gill 22-17.

UNCOMPLETED MATCHES

C. Roza Pereira and C. G. Silva were leading A. Slesco and Dr. J.A.H. Selby 12-2 on the seventh end when the match had to be abandoned.

J. MacDonald and A. M. Holland were leading F. A. Machado and F. Rozario 10-7 on the tenth end when rain caused postponement.

SINGLES CHAMPIONSHIP

In the first round of the singles championship F. X. da Silva beat B. E. Maughan 22-9 on the 14th end, while the match between R. P. Phillips and M. J. Henderson had to be abandoned with Phillips leading 10-7 on the tenth end.

REVISED FIXTURE

TWO SINGLES MATCHES PUT OFF UNTIL TO-MORROW

Further re-arrangements have become necessary in the fixtures in the local lawn bowls championships.

The Singles match fixed for yesterday between H. F. Rozario and F. X. da Silva was postponed as Rozario played a pairs match. This fixture will be played to-morrow afternoon.

As J. Hosen will be played in a Rinkia Championship match to-day his Singles game against J. S. Dimes on the Football Club's green has been postponed until to-morrow. Green rangers are asked to note the alterations.

Arrangements are being made for a Rinkia match to be played on Kowloon B.G.C. green on Thursday when L. A. Gutierrez, J. M. M. Alves, B. Bato and G. M. P. Remedios will meet R. P. Shaw, G. S. Riddell, J. Orem and W. E. Hollands.

NEW PROFESSION FOR MAX BAER

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Sacramento, Cal., June 1. The effervescent Max Baer, former world's heavyweight boxing champion, is to forsake the red ring for the polished dance floor. Max and his manager have gone to Los

ATTRACTIVE TENNIS MATCH SPOILT BY RAIN & THUNDER

GOLDMAN AND MRS. WILSON IN BRIGHT SET OF 11 GAMES

(By "Veritas")

Chinese Recreation Club and U.S.R.C. mixed doubles tennis teams lost their race yesterday against the rain and a threatening thunderstorm, the heavy clouds yielding their watery burdens after two sets had been completed, the match being abandoned at this stage.

Chinese Recreation Club were hosts, and they had good reason to feel strongly on the subject of adverse weather conditions. They found themselves against a team considerably weakened by the absence of two prominent lady players and with every prospect of pulling off a win. Quite naturally the U.S.R.C. reactions were of an opposite nature. Without Mrs. Kayll, who is suffering from a strained back, and Mrs. Dowling, who has been in hospital for a week with a poisoned foot, things looked rather bleak for them. They were opposed to a team to whom they could afford to give no concessions, and there is little doubt, despite the useful start made by the visitors, that had the match been completed the Chinese would have won.

THUNDER AND LIGHTNING

While the tennis lasted it was interesting. The light was disconcerting and quite often volleys and drives were made to the accompaniment of thunderclaps and flashes of lightning. In view of these unwelcome influences, therefore, the 25 games which were played boasted a very creditable standard of tennis.

Chinese R.C. were at full strength, which is to say Tsui Wai-pui was paired with Mrs. Chiu Chun-chiu, W. C. Hung and Mrs. Litton as his partner and Miss Rumlajn teamed up with Tsui Yui-pui.

Mrs. Ashton and Mrs. Mary Holmes deputised for Mrs. Kayll and Mrs. Dowling, the former pairing with Major Whittington and Mrs. Holmes with Sullivan. Mrs. Nora Wilson played with Goldman.

Mrs. Ashton and Major Whittington scored an astonishing success against Tsui Yui-pui and Miss Rumlajn. Mrs. Ashton was very soon from the baseline, while Major Whittington struck from his net interceptions. They succeeded in keeping the ball well away from Tsui, and while Miss Rumlajn played well, she could not sustain her ground strokes in the face of such a concentrated attack.

On another court Hung and Mrs. Litton won just as easily against Sullivan and Mrs. Holmes. The winners possessed better-controlled strokes, Hung being particularly prominent at the net.

ELEVEN EXCITING GAMES

On the No. 1 court there was an exciting encounter between Goldman and Mrs. Wilson and Tsui Wai-pui and Mrs. Chiu. The U.S.R.C. couple walked round the opposition for six games, Mrs. Wilson driving a powerful backhand shot and Goldman displaying his volleys and overhead "kills". During this period Mrs. Chiu was having trouble in timing the ball and tended to lift her shots, while Tsui could not get the ball clear of the net.

But after the visitors had run into a 5-2 lead the Chinese couple took command of the exchanges. A general improvement was noticed with Tsui scoring nicely with sharp volleys and Mrs. Chiu standing up from the baseline. The result was that they held service and then broke through Mrs. Wilson's delivery. Mrs. Chiu's service followed and they managed to hold that to bring the scores up to five-all. Goldman then won his service, but before Tsui could start his third rally and the match was abandoned.

There was a lot of bright tennis during these eleven games, and no better shot was seen during the brief time of play than Mrs. Chiu's very hot return of a fierce drive by Mrs. Wilson which forced a weak response and resulted in an ace volley for Tsui. This point gave the home team the vital break-through in the ninth game.

K.C.C. MATCH OFF

Although a start was made in the mixed doubles match between K.C.C. (2) and Club de Reccelo on the former's courts yesterday, the match had to be abandoned.

At the time G. Clarke and Mrs. McCaw were leading A. V. Remedios and Miss Botelho 4-3; E. P. Guest and Mrs. Garfield were losing 1-2 to A. V. Gosano and Miss O. Ribeiro. Angeles where Mnx is to lead a dance orchestra.

Anell Hoffman, the manager, said his protegee has taken out a card in the Musician's Union, and has no doubt that he will draw the crowds with his crooning as he used to draw them with his flashing fists.

As a further attraction, the former "Play-boy" champion has developed a capacity for tap dancing which he hopes will augment his chances for success before the footlights. His young brother, Duddy Baer, also will croon.

Our Daily Golf Hint

The good style should be the result of good golf, and not the golf of the style.

—P. A. Vaile.

RUGBY RULES SURPRISE

A Shock and an Explanation

(By J. P. Jordan)

The Rugby Union recently succeeded in startling their affiliated clubs. In the agenda of the annual general meeting to be held on June 26, it was stated that the International Board had instructed their laws sub-committee to consider the change in value of a try by reducing it from three points to two.

Everyone knew of the proposal that a dropped goal should count three points instead of four, and a goal from a mark two instead of three, but that a try should be reduced was too revolutionary.

IN REVOLT

Certain clubs promptly instructed their representatives to vote against this alteration and a lively meeting was promised.

But it was only a misprint after all, a poster to this effect being sent out some days later! A try will continue to count three points, but the other proposed changes will be put to the vote.

The scrumming law is to be reviewed with the object of improvement, and the definition of a tackle is to be improved to ensure uniformity in decisions brought to the ground may not pass the ball if it has touched the ground.

The scope of the wing forward is to be further restricted, and pushing a player from behind while going to pick up the ball is to be awarded between the posts and not in a line where the unfair play or interference occurred.

The opinion of the Rugby Union regarding these proposed changes will be placed before the Board in September, and no actual changes in the laws of the game will be made until the Board's meeting in March 1937.

286 ARE AFTER GOLF TITLE

BIG OVERSEAS ENTRY

London, June 8. There are thirty overseas entrants among the 286 golfers who will compete in the British Open Golf Championship in which play begins on June 22.

There are 11 Americans and six French players among overseas competitors, others coming from Spain, South Africa, Jamaica, Bermuda, Belgium, Greece, Kenya, and Australia.—British Wireless.

INQUIRY INTO DEATH OF CAESAR MANELLI

Captain Of 1924 Olympic Rugby Team Drowned At Boating Party

Antioch, California. A complete investigation into the circumstances connected with the drowning here of Caesar Manelli, 33, captain of the 1924 Olympic Games Rugby Football championship team, has been ordered by the sheriff of Contra Costa County.

The sheriff said that he was not satisfied with the reports of Manelli's death in the San Joaquin river. He admitted that it looked like an accident, but said that he wanted to make sure.

Manelli died while on a week-end boating party. He sank while swimming, apparently being seized with a cramp, the sheriff said that members of the party told him.

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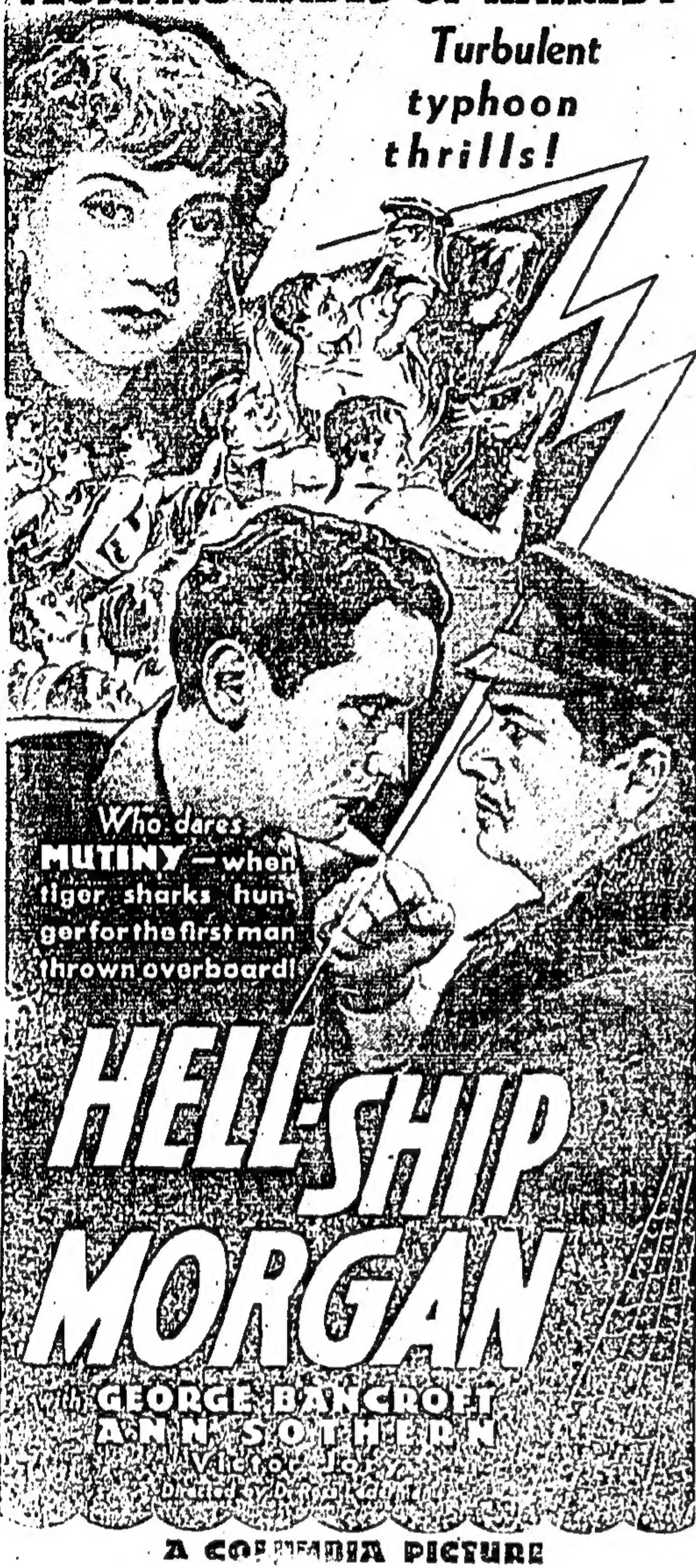
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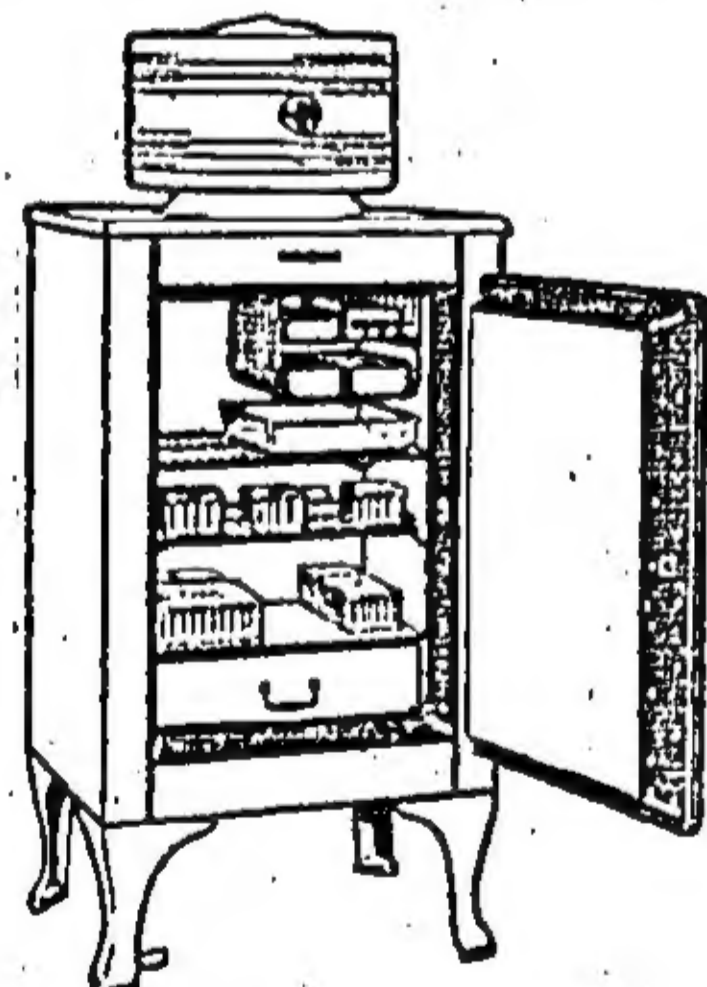
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EIGHT-BALL OVER FOR TEST
MATCHES RECOMMENDEDAustralia's
Desire
TACTICAL
POINTS
INVOLVED

(By Ronald T. Symond)

The Australian Board of Control have decided to recommend to the M.C.C. that the eight-ball over be employed in Tests as well as other matches in Australia.

During the last English tour in Australia the six-ball over was used in Test matches. The Board think that the time is now ripe to extend the normal conditions in Australia to all international matches in that country.

As the Australians have so readily agreed to adopt the altered I.B.W. rule, it would be churlish for us to boggle at a small point. But the change is not quite so trivial as it seems at first glance.

In conversation at Lord's, Mr. P. F. Warner, who is perhaps without a rival in experience of international captaincy, admitted to me that he would prefer to see no further extension of the number of balls per over. He pointed out that tactical considerations are involved.

If runs are precious, for example, it is one thing for a captain to hazard an experimental bowler for an over of six balls and another to face the risk of seeing a batsman take toll of eight.

Mr. Warner recalled a match in Australia when B. J. T. Bosanquet was very heavily punished. As captain, Mr. Warner hesitated to give him another over. He did so, and with success, for Bosanquet then took several wickets cheaply. On that occasion there were runs to spare, but that is not always the case. The risk of an eight-ball over being greater than that of six balls, might be enough to turn the scale of a captain's judgment in making the decision.

NICHOLS'S VIEW

In the heat of Australia, an extra strain would be put upon fast bowlers. I asked M. S. Nichols, the Essex fast bowler, how he would like to bowl over of eight balls. "I would prefer six in a Test match," was his reply. He emphasised the tense strain of bowling in such games, when a fast bowler puts every bit of his strength and concentration into each delivery. Two extra balls would make a difference.

Obviously, therefore, a change of the kind proposed would require readjustments. Fast bowlers would have to redistribute their expenditure of maximum energy to fit the change over. A captain would be faced with slightly different tactical problems. But the same argument applies conversely to the Australians regarding the new I.B.W. rule, so that the difficulties of readjustment are somewhat balanced.

The difficulties involved are by no means negligible, but scarcely so serious as to warrant a refusal if the Australian Board are anxious to put all games in their country on the same footing.

Here is the "history of the over" in England and Australia.
England.—1744, 4 balls; 1889, 5 balls; 1900 to date, 6 balls.
Australia.—1887, 6 balls; 1918, 8 balls.
New Zealand adopted the 8-ball over in 1924, but reverted to the 6-ball over in 1927.

FANLING GOLF

In the Captain's Cup Competition, played over the old course at Fanling during the week-end, H. H. Mundy qualified with a score of 73—83-10. There were eighteen entries.

GOOD
AVERAGES
DESPITE
DIFFICULT
SEASON

(Continued from Page 8.)

ever had to bat early and take things seriously he would justify his place in any side here as a batsman alone.

FIRST XI AVERAGES

	Inn.	N.O.	I.L.S.	Runs	Av.
H. Owen Hughes	10	2	100	318	30.13
E. H. Duckitt	14	4	78	838	59.86
F. A. Pearce	19	3	107	608	31.55
G. S. Dunkley	18	7	35	145	24.11
T. E. Pearce	16	1	64	412	29.80
J. D. Kilham	14	8	88	230	17.70
I. McInnis	17	1	35	228	14.22
A. W. Hayward	21	4	24	220	12.95
H. W. Holmes	10	2	27	60	9.85
The Following also Batted:—					
D. L. Gilchrist	5	1	84	227	55.75
A. C. Crowder	7	1	82	142	23.67
G.R.M. Ricketts	9	—	42	180	15.44
* Not Out					
* Qualification 10 Innings.					

THE BOWLING

It was in bowling that the Club were worst hit by departures, and but for Crowder, Alce Pearce would have had to keep this department of the game going for them with very little support for a great deal of the season. If he has at times been disappointing as a bat, there is no doubt that he has bowled better than he has ever done out here. Dick Ricketts was only with us for a comparatively short portion of the season but he only failed by one wicket to qualify, and would have been second. Duckitt also got nineteen wickets and I am not sure that more use might not have been made of him. Garthwaite picked up a similar number of wickets at a much lower cost but of course he did not play in any of the League games, and, speaking without the book, I fancy he did not have quite the batting against him that most of the others did.

FIRST XI BOWLING

	Over	Mdn	Run	Wkt	Av.
A. C. Crowder	121.2	18	404	48	16.56
T. A. Pearce	177.4	32	603	41	14.75
E. H. Duckitt	142.1	24	302	28	15.01
The Following also Bowled:—					
L. C. C. Garthwaite	64	12	178	10	9.42
G. R. M. Ricketts	90	22	259	19	14.21
E. H. Duckitt	90	16	330	10	17.57
* Qualification 20 Wickets.					

THE FIELDING

On the whole the fielding was good and McInnis is one of the finest catchers of the ball I have ever seen out here, while his return to the wicket is excellent. Dunkley was excellent behind the stumps while Owen Hughes continued to bring off excellent catches in the slips, while Ricketts, at first slip, was amazingly safe.

THE SECOND ELEVEN

The difficulties of the first eleven rested on the second who had great difficulty in getting out a regular side. Potter and Forbes were the mainstay of the batting while J. Stein on the few occasions on which he played showed that if in regular practice he was probably good enough for the first. But on the whole their season was a very in and out affair, and on the whole the bowling was not strong and the catching at times very indifferent.

SECOND ELEVEN FIGURES
BATTING

	Inn.	N.O.	H.S.	Total	Av.
J. E. Potter	8	2	106 x	218	26.83
I. S. Forbes	11	1	85 x	248	24.80
N. P. Fox	7	—	41	105	15.00
A. K. Mackenzie ..	10	—	82	126	12.60
H. S. W.* Paterson	7	—	18	68	9.71
V. C. Bond	10	4	13	42	7.00
W. Wooding	12	3	25	62	5.77
F. A. Dunnett	7	1	24 x	30	6.00

The Following also Batted:—

BOWLING

	Inn.	Mdn	Runs	Wkts	Av.
V. C. Bond	64	7	285	14	15.83
N. P. Fox	64	12	270	13	21.23
A. R. Macdonald	64	12	270	13	21.23
G. A. Millbank	23	8	63	8	7.88
D. S. Carey	18	—	103	8	12.88
* Qualification 10 Wickets.					

Shanghai
Golf Record
BrokenBRILLIANT ROUND
BY RICKETTS

A. Ricketts of Shanghai who has been playing brilliant golf recently, has broken two records, one officially and the other unofficially. Playing on the Hungjao Course on Whit Monday in the medal competition he went round in 71 thereby beating the record of 72 made by N. A. Brown in the China Amateur Championship last October.

On the previous Saturday Ricketts, who was playing splendidly, recorded 66, the lowest score ever made over the Hungjao Course under any conditions. Unfortunately this score was done in a friendly game and, although every ball was holed, it cannot stand as an official record, which can only be made in stroke competition. These two excellent rounds by Ricketts surely go to show that the saying "Try, Try, Try Again" is more than a proverb. It is an axiom. Ricketts, who is as keen a golfer as anyone could meet, has on many occasions reached the 10th tee of the Hungjao Course with the record within his grasp. But disaster has overcome him each time on the last three holes and his card has been spilt.

The two scores—first the 71 and secondly the 66—were made up as follows:

4, 4, 2, 5, 4, 4, 3, 5, 3=34
3, 4, 5, 3, 3, 4, 5, 4, 4=37
His unofficial record score card reads:—
4, 4, 4, 5, 3, 3, 3, 4, 4=34
3, 5, 3, 3, 4, 4, 3, 4, 3=32

DEAD PUTTING

As is to be expected when 70 is broken, deadly putting was a feature of his game. As the Hungjao greens are beginning to improve, a good putter like Ricketts is now able to pick up a shot or two on the greens. Now-a-days two putts a green, once thought a good average even amongst professionals, is not nearly good enough. In the final of the English Close Championship, J. D. A. Langley, the runner-up, averaged less than two putts per green in thirty-two holes. He was beaten 5 and 4 by H. Bentley. The Champion putted so wonderfully that instead of sixty-four putts the allowance for a scratch golfer—he required only fifty-one putts for the thirty-two holes.

Although the Hungjao Course is extremely short according to present day ideas—it is only 5,705 yards against Hoylake's 7,120 yards where this year's "Open" will be played—it calls for accurate golf and loose shots are usually punished. The Daily Mail Competition held recently at Brighthelm, England, was of particular interest in proving that a short difficult course can defeat even the best of professionals. Yet of the 400 rounds played only about one per cent. of the professionals was under seventy.

One professional lost three balls in the first nine holes and A. J. Lacey of Berkshire, who has been greatly to the fore recently, took 56 for nine holes. Alfred Padgham, the winner, took 10 in one of the qualifying rounds and Alfred Perry, the Open Champion, has a couple of eights and a couple of sevens in one of his rounds.

WESTCHESTER CUP
TEAMS

London, June 8.
The International polo match between England and United States for the Westchester Cup will be played at Hurlingham on Wednesday. The following will be the line-ups.
England:—H. Hughes, Gerald Bading, Tyrrell Martin, and Humphrey Guinness.

Manu Singh who had been invited to play has not sufficiently recovered

BOBBY JONES
INVITED TO
VISIT JAPANAs Ambassador
Of Goodwill

Augusta, Georgia.

Mr. Bobby Jones, former world's champion golfer, has been invited by Mr. Hiroshi Saito, the Japanese Ambassador to Washington, to visit Japan as an ambassador of good will.

The invitation was extended indirectly through Mr. William H. Wallace, Jr., of Augusta, who entertained Mr. Saito here during the recent Augusta National Invitation tournament.

Mr. Wallace said that he had posted the invitation to Mr. Jones. In the letter Mr. Saito said: "Convey to Mr. Robert T. Jones our wish, and the wish of all Japanese golfers, to have the chance of extending to him a royal welcome in Japan. His visit will not only enhance the standard of Japanese golf, but will surely contribute to the international friendship between our two peoples."

Mr. Saito came to the Augusta National tournament principally to see Chieko Chih and Torchy Toda, of Japan, play.—Reuter.

from an injury to allow him to turn out.
United States—Eric Pedley, Michael Phillips, Stewart Iglehart and Winston Guest.—Reuter.

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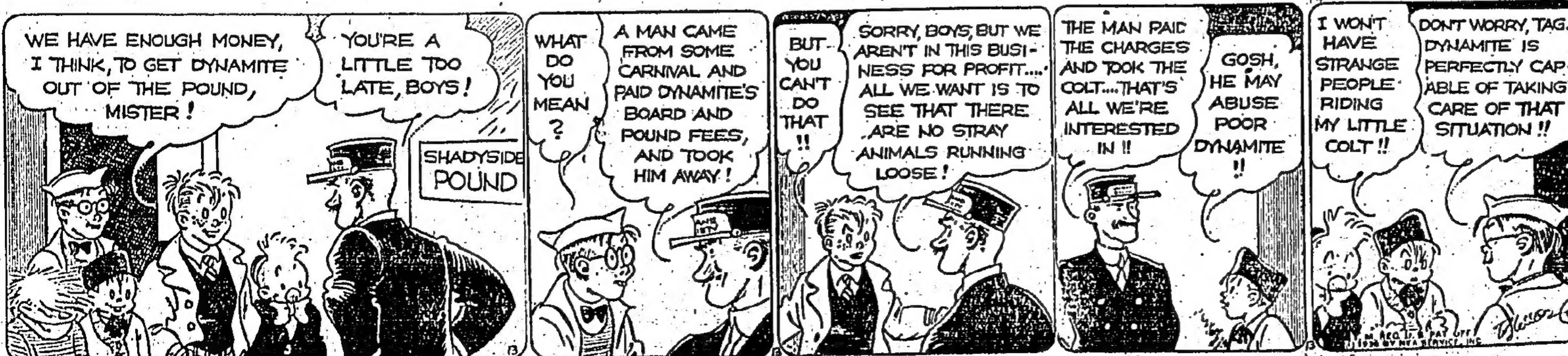
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In the prison yard a scaffold
had been erected for those poor
wretches who had been tried and
found guilty of conspiracy in the
assassination of President Lincoln.
Dr. Samuel Mudd, who met
the fate of the murderer, John
Wilkes Booth, had been found
guilty of conspiracy, although he
did not know the man was a
murderer. His wife, Peggy, and
daughter, Martha, were in des-
pair. Will he be hanged?

CHAPTER SIX

A casual traveller riding down the
pretty, tree shaded street, on that
lovely Summer day would have
thought that the circus had come
to town.

In reality the occasion for this
morbidity was the hanging of
the unfortunates who had been
found guilty of conspiracy in the
assassination of President Lincoln.
The gallows had been hastily
erected in front of the prison gate.
Fish was being fried; hot corn
was being peddled.

It was close to five o'clock for the
execution. At the foot of the scaffold
the drummers were standing,
and on the grassy instrument of
death, the executioners tensely
waited.

Suddenly Peggy Mudd, with Ewing
and Martha, appeared in the
courtyard. She stood rooted in hor-
ror as she realized she had walked
into the execution scene.

"It can't be now—now!"
she cried.

"You got the best place in the
yard, lady," and soldier told her.
"Yonder's where they'll come out."

With a convulsive gasp she
turned and buried her face in Ewing's
shoulder.

"Steady," he said. "There's no
other way to know."

There was a rolling of drums and
the soldiers stood at attention as
the great double doors at the end
of the yard slowly opened.

At a slow step a squad of four
soldiers appeared, followed by the
one woman conspirator, Mrs. Sur-
rat, bonneted and veiled, walking
heavily between two clerics. An-
other squad of four soldiers and the
drummers rolled again.

Standing close Ewing, her hand-
kerchief in her mouth, Peggy Mudd
watched the doors open for a second
time. This time a man walked be-
tween the two groups of soldiers.

A third roll of drums
A fourth the great door, swung
slowly.

The procession was ended.
Mrs. Mudd turned, white and
dazed, to Ewing. "Sam didn't come
out," she whispered. "Oh, do you
suppose does that mean he's
going to live?"

The suspense had been too much
for her. Her eyes closed and she
slumped upon her. Ewing caught her as
she swayed and held her tightly.

No one looked at them.
An officer's voice broke the awful
silence. "Present arms!"

There was a rattle of rifles and
metal. A deafening silence, and
then the drop of the four traps. A
great gasp went up from those as-
sembled, a muffled scream or two,
and then a shout which rose to a
roar outside the prison gate.

CINEMA NOTES

Kay Francis, supported by a talent-
ed cast, comes to the Queen's Theatre
shortly in the First National produc-
tion "I Found Stella Parish." The
film is based on a powerful drama by
John Monk Saunders. Miss Francis
has the intensely emotional role of a
woman who toposes from the heights
of success to the depths of despair.
Fighting to hide a terrible page in
her life in order to protect her six
year old daughter from scandal, she
is betrayed by the man she has com-
mitted to love, and started her on the
downward path. In her profession.
Separated from her child whom she
placed in hiding with a faithful re-
tainer, her love turned to bitter
hatred, she is torn by a terrible em-
otional stress that eats into her heart
and makes her life a horrible night-
mare. The battle of the young
journalist, the young man who had
published the story of her life after
having won her confidence, to bring
back her success and make up for
the injustice he had done her leads
to an astounding and intensely
dramatic climax. In Hunter the
English stage and film star, has
the role of the journalist, with Paul Lukas
playing the part of the actress' the-
atrical manager and suitor of the
time she had obtained the pinnacle of
success. Sybil Jason, the clever child
actress, is seen as Miss Francis' daughter. Jessie Ralph has the role
of the child's nurse and Barton
MacLane is the blackmailing hus-
band. Mervyn Loyty directed the
picture.

"Robin Hood of El Dorado"
By the time Warner Baxter com-
pleted his work as Joaquin Murrieta
in Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer's epic
production, "Robin Hood of El
Dorado," showing to-day at the
King's and Alhambra Theatres, he
was a veritable walking encyclopedia
of information concerning the days of

In a dusky cell inside the prison
Dr. Mudd stood gripping the bars
of his door. In the corridor, a guard
and a sergeant had also been listen-
ing to the execution.

The green water of the Atlantic
Ocean had been displaced by the
blue of the Gulf Stream. A flat
thin lot of surface glassy smooth.
The brilliant tropical sun beat down
pitilessly on a U.S. Army transport,
three days out of Hampton Roads.

On the vessel's foredeck, stretched
out with their chains draped around
them, lay a prostrate group of hang-
ing creatures, unheaven and gar-
bled in tattered remnants.

"Land on the starboard bow,"
shouted the look-out.

The prostrate huddle stirred.
Painfully they rose to peer over
the bow rail. Only a thin, scarcely
visible cloud-like line was visible.

There rose from the sea, while the
vessel drew nearer, a grim, forbid-
ding fortress, starkly white and
gleaming in the tropical sun.

"Well, boys, there she is—Shark
Island!"

Samuel Alexander Mudd, lately
doctor of medicine in the County of
Charles, in Maryland, surveyed
from pain wracked eyes the forbid-
ding spectacle before them. Here,
said the court that had tried him,
was he to spend the rest of his life.

And his physician's knowledge told
him that behind these fever-struck
walls, that might be a short sen-
tence.

Port Jefferson, Dry Tortugas.
Sixty-five miles out in the Gulf of
Mexico, place of living dead.

The transport drew alongside the
pier, jutting out from the forbid-
ding seawall. Negro troops, detailed
as guards, trooped down to the
dock, to take over the prisoners,
who were herded down the gang-
plank, their chains clanking with each
painful step.

As the condemned men crossed
the bridge, which was the only en-
trance to the prison, one of their
number, a filthy rogue, grinned
toothlessly at the soldiers and jerking
his thumb over his shoulder, mutter-
ed.

"That's him, soldiers!"

The Negroes stared curiously at Dr.
Mudd, who unaware of their interest,
shuffled wearily along in his chains.

But suddenly his face lighted with
happy astonishment.

He had recognized Buck, the negro
who had worked for him.

"Why Buck?" he exclaimed.

"Move on, white man," said Buck,
with no sign of recognition, his ex-
pression, like the others, hard and
cruel.

Dr. Mudd stiffened, but after a
moment of hesitation he went on.

"Fresh meat, 'Sarge," said the
Corporal.

"Yes, Sergeant Rankin looked
up. "Shoot 'em in."

He came around to the front of
his desk, and leaning on it, glanced
through the papers.

Fourth in line, Dr. Mudd gazed
stolidly at Rankin. He did not ex-
pect sympathy from this man who
aided in his arrest, but his was a
familiar face and in this horrible
place there was a certain pleasure
even in recognizing an old enemy.

"Name?" said Rankin to the first
man.

"William Dunger."

The old Wild West. Much of the
picture was made in the remote
wilderness of the "mother lode"
country of Central California, the
region in which millions were taken
from the ground in the heyday of
the gold boom, and where Murrieta
led his wild men in raids on the
scattered American settlements.

Living there to-day are scores of
grizzled veterans whose family his-
tories are indelibly tinged with
the wildness of the West. And from
these oldtimers, Baxter obtained in-
formation about the gold rush days
that never has been written into his-
tory stories of intimate happenings in
the lives of their parents, stories of
stark tragedy, of hilarious comedy, of
vivid romance that flared in those
far gone days. Much of this was in-
corporated into the picture, "Robin
Hood of El Dorado." For in the
words of William Wellman, director,
it was "too good to pass up."

Real life happenings were dramatized and
transferred into action by the 200 men
and women from Hollywood, who,
with the assistance of more than a
thousand residents of the gold belt,
re-enacted events that made history
in the days of '49. Appearing with
Baxter in the picture, were
John W. Considine, Jr., a notable
featured cast which includes Ann
Loring, Bruce Cabot, Margo, J. Carroll
Nash, Eric Linden, Edgar Kennedy,
Charles Trowbridge and Harvey
Stephens.

"Casting Zero"
Packed with thrilling action,
dynamic drama, comedy and ro-
mance, "Casting Zero" is opening to-
day at the Queen's Theatre. Based on
the stage play by Lieut. Commander
Frank Wead, it concerns three war
buddies, who are thrown together in
commercial aviation. Pat O'Brien as
the superintendent of flyers at a
Western airport where Stuart Erwin
is employed, as a pilot, seeks the
services of Cagney a spectacular
aviator to join them. Cagney is a
devil with the ladies. He makes a
play for the pretty air hostess, played
by a new comer, June Travis, whom

"Huh," locating his paper. "Mur-
der and arson. Life imprisonment."
Suddenly he shouted, "Get moving,
you lumps!"

"Next."
"Otto Lehman," said the second
prisoner.

"Deration, forty years," Rankin
read with relish. He grinned.
"You'll never make it, Otto," he said
with mock sympathy. "You're too old.
Get moving!"

Suddenly he saw Dr. Mudd. Put-
ting the paper down on his desk
he came forward, pushing the next
man from the line, and gazed at the
doctor with astonishment and seem-
ing pleasure.

"Well, if it isn't my old friend, Dr.
Mudd, Dear Dr. Mudd!"

With mock cordiality Rankin ex-
tended his hand. After a moment's
hesitation, Mudd took it. Rankin
tightened his grip.

"And so, all they gave you was
life, eh?"

With a sudden jerk he pulled the
doctor forward and at the same time
swung with his left to the jaw, floor-
ing him.

"Couldn't hang you, eh?" he sneer-
ed. "Well, by Jesus, you're going to
wish they had before I'm through
with you!"

Hauling off, he booted the recum-
bent man.

Then, taking the papers from his
desk, he snarled, "Next!"

Rising from the floor, Mudd wiped
his face with his handkerchief, not-
ing to his annoyance that his hand
was shaking. Although he had made
up his mind that as a prisoner he
must expect to receive humiliating
treatment, and he had resolved to
endure it patiently, for it would do
no good to rebel—still he had not
expected to be so cruelly degraded.

Despite his determination to be a
stoic, his nerves were badly jangled.
The tropical sun, streaming down
on them, the little group of forget-
ten men were conducted to the big,
iron gate through which they had
entered the prison yard.

Standing there, their wrists and
ankles bleeding from the weight of
the chains, they listened apathet-
ically to Sergeant Rankin.

"Before you go any further," he
glared at them, his venomous gaze
resting longest on Dr. Mudd, "I want
you to listen to me. Because I know
exactly what you're thinking, every
mother's son or you. You're agger-
ing on whether you're going to be
able to break out of here."

Grinning from one to the other,
he declared, "Well, we've got a little
way here of putting thoughts like
that out of your heads follow
me!"

As the gate swung open, he bowed
elaborately at Dr. Mudd.

"You first, Doctor!"

On the other side of the gate the
prisoners were lined up along the
bank of what appeared to be a moat.

Pointing down at its dark waters,
the Sergeant continued acidly, "When-
ever you stop get to digging on
breaking out of here, I just want you
to give a little thought to this moat.
It runs all the way around the island.
It's 75 feet across and 30 feet deep.
We keep pets. Nice little pets. We
got more of 'em in that moat than
you could count. And sometimes we
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he knows is engaged to a fellow pilot.
In order to keep a date, he gets
Erwin to take his run for him.
Erwin runs into a fog and is killed.
Cagney is completely broken up
especially when he sees Isabel Jewell,
Erwin's wife. When orders come for
Wadsworth to take up a plane in a
terrible fog, he knocks him on the
head in order to save him for June,
and makes the run himself, which he
knows will result in certain death.
Martha Tibbets as O'Brien's wife has

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also had an affair with Cagney in the
past, deserves mentioning. Others in
the cast include Barton MacLane, as
the owner of the Aviation Co., Craig
Reynolds, Richard Furell, Carlyle

Moore, Jr. Addison Richards, Gary
Owens, Edward Gargan, Robert Light,
James Bush and Pat West. Howard
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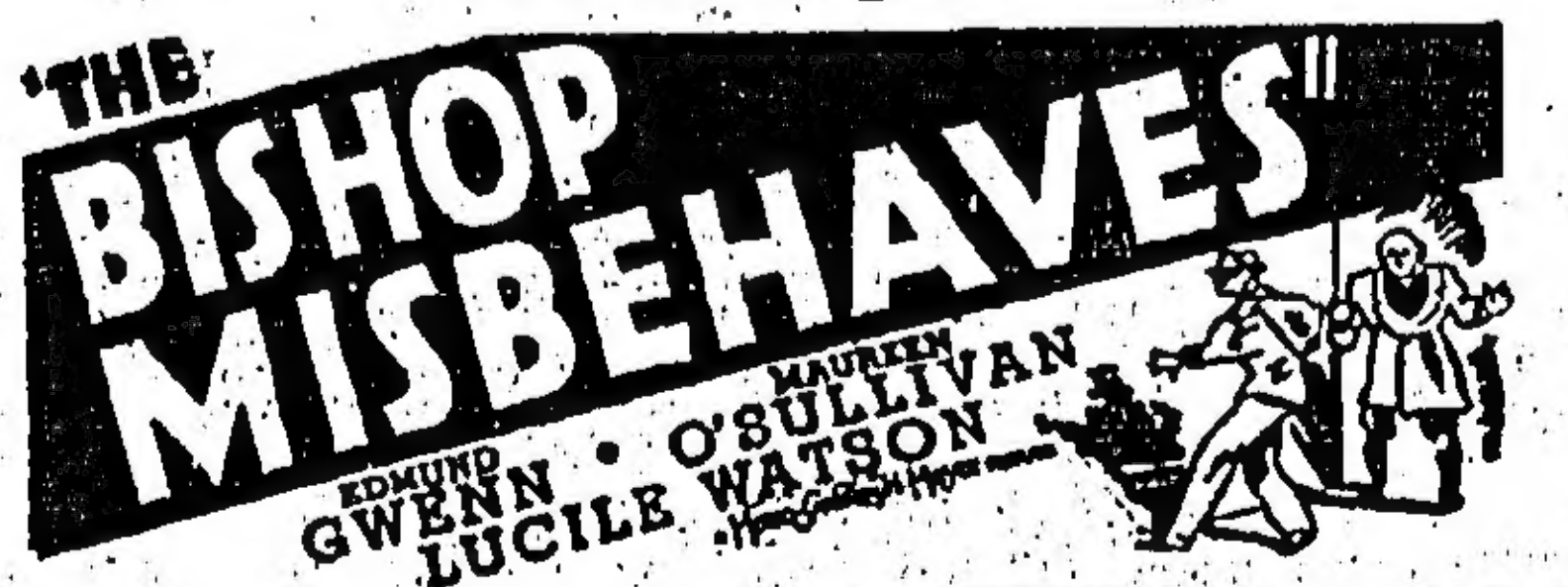


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Gloucester, Mass., June 8.
The death has occurred here, after
a long illness, of Mr. John Hays
Hammond, at the age of 81 years.

John Hays Hammond, one of the
foremost mining engineers in the
world, the man who once refused the
Vice-Presidency and paid \$25,000 to
the Boers as the price of his life,
reflected, even in his later years,
the same enthusiasm and forceful,
restless energy which characterized
his many years of prospecting all over
the world.

As a consulting engineer he was re-
puted to be one of the highest estimates
men in the world—popular wage of
reaching the staggering sum of
\$200,000 per year. A friend of Cecil
Rhodes, Hammond advised the empire
builder to consolidate his holdings in
Africa in specified mining prop-
erties which later multiplied the
Rhodes fortune many times over.

HARDY AMERICAN STOCK

Hammond came from hardy
American stock. His father, Major
Richard Hammond was a West Point
graduate who moved out to San
Francisco where the boy was born
March 31, 1855. His mother, Sarah,
was a sister of a colonel of the
famous Texas Rangers. As a youth
John was educated at Yale and was
graduated from the Sheffield science
school in 1876. Following this he
went to the Royal School of Mines
at Freiberg, Saxony, where he con-
tinued studying mineralogy, engineer-
ing and geology.

Hammond had that true instinct
for mining which permitted him a
glimpse of the terrain and the al-
most immediate knowledge of where
minerals lay. He had the quality
manifested itself in an early suc-
cessful commission as a mining
expert in Mexico. Besides being a
mining man he was also a civil and
mechanical engineer and was con-
sulting engineer for the Central and
Southern Pacific railroads.

RHODES' JOB IN AFRICA

In 1893 Cecil Rhodes offered Ham-
mond a job at Hammond's own terms
which was promptly accepted. Once
in South Africa he practically be-
came head of the gigantic mining
industry; in a year he was earning
£20,000.

Unrest caused by non-represen-
tation in the Boer government of
the Outlanders, who were over-
most of Oom Paul Kruger's country
and even outnumbered the Boers, led
to the historic Jameson raid and the
capture of Hammond as one of the
committee who sponsored the up-
rising. Hammond, with several
others, was tried and convicted. He
was hanged until dead. However, a
bargain for the lives of the con-
demned was made with Oom Paul
whereby they were to pay £50,000
apiece and get out of the country.
On payment of £25,000, however, they
were let off. Hammond's name was
also known in China and Japan as
Russia for his work in obtaining mines
and developing railroads. As a
special ambassador he attended the
coronation of George V. of England
in 1911.

Coupled with his uncanny knowl-
edge of earth was an unvarying
good fortune which pursued him every-
where and brought him into mines
and wealth. He managed the Guggen-
heim Exploration Company—a \$25-
000 post- until 1926 when he re-
signed. In his later years he used
some of this wealth wrested from
the earth in philanthropies. One
his pet was the establishment of
a scholarship for a Mexican boy at
Yale.

NAMED BY HARDING

President Harding named Ham-
mond head of the United States Coal
Commission in 1922 to ascertain
fundamentals of the industry with
a view to prevention of future trouble.
After the death of President
Harding, Hammond continued his
position and made his reports to
Calvin Coolidge. He was prominent
in politics at this time and later came
in favour of Herbert Hoover.
President Harding looked to him in
1923 as a successor to Ambassador
Warren in Japan but he declined the
position.

Hammond published "The Auto-
biography of John Hays Hammond"
on his 80th birthday. Still vigorous
and lusty, he told reporters he went
swimming "every day last year in
Florida" and expressed satisfaction
that he was through with politics.

He married Natalie Harris, of
Mississippi, Jan. 1, 1880, and they
had three children: John Hays,
Jr., Richard (Pindell), and Nata-
lie Hays. His son John Hays, Jr., is
an inventor now famous in his
own right.

HEADS MOTHER CHURCH

Boston (Mass.), June 8.
Mrs. Elizabeth Cadwal-Compton
has been elected President of the
Christian Science Mother Church, in
succession to Dr. Frank Colby.

FAIR TO SHOWERY

Pressure is highest over Japan and
the Pacific to the eastward. An
elongated depression lies over South
China, Formosa and the Loochoos.
Local forecast:—S. W. winds,
moderate; fair to showery.

QUEEN MARY'S
COMMANDER

Sir Edgar Britten, commander of the
famous Queen Mary, signs on in
London.

Fatal Mishap
Aboard LinerSEAMAN KILLED ON
QUEEN MARYNO HOPE OF
RECORD

London, June 8.
A fatal accident was reported
aboard the British luxury liner, Queen
Mary, to-day.

Arthur Golling, a twenty-two-year-
old lad, making his first trip as an
able seaman, was found unconscious
and bleeding profusely on the deck.
Apparently he had slipped and struck
his head heavily.

He died subsequently.
Passengers were unaware of his
death or of the brief burial service
which was performed quietly.

A moderate swell to-day induced a
slight roll, somewhat destroying the
earlier illusions of a luxurious hotel
ashore.

There is no hope of a record on
the present trip as the ship has
not reached the speed attained on her
outward voyage or the average speed
of the Normandie's homeward passage.
The Queen Mary covered 670 miles
during the past twenty-four hours.
She has encountered fog frequently.

No Payment
On War DebtWHITE PAPER GIVES
EXPLANATION

London, June 8.
A White Paper issued in London
this evening gives the texts of con-
sultations between the United
States Government and the British
Embassy in Washington regarding
the British War Debt.

The Department of State address-
ed a note on May 25 to the British
Ambassador transmitting a state-
ment of amounts due half yearly
since June 15, 1933 and including
June 15 next, under the Debt
agreement of 1923, and the morat-
orium agreement of 1932, and re-
iterating the willingness of the
United States Government to discuss
any proposals for the settlement of
the debt which might be put forward
as to payment.

The statement shows the total
amount due on June 15 next to be
\$85,070,705.

In acknowledging the note and ac-
companying statement on June 7,
Sir Ronald Lindsay said:
"His Majesty's Government ex-
plained in their note of June 4, 1934,
the reasons for which they were
reluctantly forced to suspend pay-
ments. Those reasons are fortunately
no less valid now than they were
then."

"His Majesty's Government desire
me to express their appreciation of
your assurance that the United
States Government are ready to
discuss any proposals in regard to
the payment which may be put for-
ward, and I am instructed to assure
you in return that His Majesty's
Government will be glad to reopen
negotiations whenever circumstances
are such as to warrant hope that
a satisfactory result might be re-
ached."

—British Wireless.

VAN ZEELAND TO
FORM CABINET?VANDERVELDE
UNABLE TO WIN
CATHOLICS

Brussels, June 8.
M. Emile Vandervelde has informed
the King that he is unable to form a
Cabinet, owing to the fact that the
Catholic Party is unwilling to co-
operate with the Socialist Party.
It is believed that M. Paul Van
Zeeland, the Prime Minister who re-
signed only last week, will be recalled
to form a Government.

GIANTS
LOSING
GROUNDCUBS AND PIRATES
GAIN STEADILYYANKEES KEEP
WELL AHEAD

New York, June 8.
New York Giants still clung pre-
cariously to second berth in the Na-
tional League to-day, but they cannot
afford to lose another game if Chicago
and Pittsburgh continue to win.
Chicago is within a few points of the
Giants and Pittsburgh is only a step
behind the Clubs.

New York lost again, against the
Cincinnati Reds, seven to three. The
Reds hit twelve times to the Giants
ten. Each had an error.

Pittsburgh beat the Brooklyn
Dodgers narrowly, two to one, win-
ning on eight hits against seven.
They had two errors and Dodgers one.
French pitched for Chicago and
shut out the Phillies. He gave them
eight hits but did not allow a run.
Phillies had three errors. The Cubs
beat seven hits into victory.
St. Louis, the league leaders, and
Boston, did not play.

YANKEES GAIN

The New York Yankees gained an-
other step in the American League
and Boston, in second place to them,
failed to improve its position, split-
ting a double-header with Detroit.
Yankees were not hard put to it to
beat St. Louis.

They scored twelve runs on sixteen
hits, two of them homers by Dimaggio
and Gehrig. The Browns tallied
three times on nine hits. Yankees had
two and Browns one error.

Philadelphia beat Chicago five to
four in ten innings, nosing out the
Sox by this odd hit. Each had two
errors.

Boston might have come close to
catching the Yankees by winning the
double-header with Detroit. The Red
Sox won the opener, six to three,
when Cronin hit a homer. They had
only nine hits against Detroit's eleven.
There were no errors.

Detroit pulled ahead in the second
contest, scoring twelve runs on as
many hits. Detroit's fielding was
weak, and there were five errors.
But even so, Boston could only manage
seven runs on eight hits, and they,
too, had two errors.

The Cleveland-Washington game
was postponed on account of rain.

UNEMPLOYED
DECLINEGERMAN AND BRITISH
FIGURES

Berlin, June 8.
The unemployed in Germany on
May 31 totalled 1,491,201, a reduction
of 272,000 compared with April.
The figure is over 200,000 below the
lowest figure in 1935.

BRITISH GAINS

London, June 8.
The number of unemployed in Brit-
tain on May 25 had declined by 125-
188, compared with April 27, while
insured employees numbered 10,831-
000, an increase of 119,900.

—Reuter Special.

MARKED DECREASE

London, June 8.
A further marked decrease in the
numbers of unemployed is shown in
the return for May issued by the
Labour Ministry to-night.
Ministry estimates that on May 25
the number of insured persons aged
16 to 64 in employment in Great Brit-
tain, exclusive of agricultural work-
ers, was approximately 10,831,000.
This was 119,000 more than on April
27 and 472,000 more than on May 20,
1935.

Agricultural workers became in-
sured at the beginning of May, but
statistics of the numbers of such
workers in employment are not yet
available.

On May 25 the numbers of regis-
tered unemployed were 1,705,042,
comprising 1,397,765 wholly unem-
ployed, 225,285 temporarily laid off,
and 82,002 normally in casual em-
ployment. The total was 126,188 less
than the month before and 339,710
less than a year ago.

—British Wireless.

SUGAR BILL AND
WAR PROFITSU.S. SENATE
COMMITTEE
APPROVAL

Washington, June 8.
The Senate Finance Committee to-
day agreed to report favorably on
the Jones-O'Mahoney Sugar Bill re-
solution.

However, the Committee eliminated
the permission given to the Secretary
of Agriculture to pay the sugar pro-
ducers a maximum of 50 cents per
hundredweight of raw sugar for com-
plying with the Department of
Agriculture's regulations.

The Committee also agreed to re-
port favorably on the measure
eliminating profits from war, by pro-
viding income taxes as high as 80 per
cent on the net incomes exceeding
\$50,000 during any period the United
States is at war, and also taxes as
high as 77 per cent on undistributed
corporate incomes.

The Committee reported that such
measures would serve to promote
peace and put any future war on a
"pay as you go" basis.

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COOLIE SEVERELY INJURED

London, June 8.
The annual conference of the
Empire Press Union opened in London
to-day. Major J. J. Astor, President
of the Union, presided over the
gathering, which was representative
of the Home, Dominions and Colonial
Press.

The delegates were welcomed by
the Dominions Secretary, Mr.
Malcolm MacDonald, who said the
sovereignty now belonging to the
Dominions was complete, and final.
The freedom of the constituent parts
of the Commonwealth and the spirit
it engendered was an essential
condition of harmonious co-operation
within the Empire.

The Postmaster General, Major
Glyn, also spoke and assured the
conference that the Post Office was
doing its utmost to give the Empire
communications with the highest
efficiency and at the lowest possible
rates.

It appears that the man, named
Wong Sin, aged 32, a coolie, living
at Wuhu Street, was working as a
paint-scraper when he fell from the
staging on the side of the N.Y.K. ship
Hieiyo Maru between the ship and the
wharfside. He was crushed between
two large wooden fenders.

According to a police report, Wong
Sin fell into the water. He was
brought up to the wharf where it
was found that he was suffering from
injuries to his hip and right foot. An
ambulance was summoned and the
injured man was removed to the
hospital.

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